



—Photo By Dan Lacy

This conflagration Tuesday afternoon destroyed three Main Street buildings and seven businesses in West Liberty, causing damages estimated at \$175,000 to \$200,000. The fire which started in the C. C. Elam Building, a wooden structure (ablate in photo), quickly spread to the adjoining Elam Utility Co. office building in the foreground and the former Rex Theatre Building. West Liberty firemen and volunteers, who answered the alarm about 4:15 p.m., finally were forced to abandon the three buildings and concentrate on preventing the flames from spreading to other parts of Main Street. Training all hoses on the theatre building, firemen were able to contain the fire at about 4:50 p.m. at the alleyway between the theatre building and the Morgan Motor Building. Firemen said that at one point during their efforts to contain the fire at the alleyway, a change in the wind could have sent the flames racing into the Morgan Motor Building. At 4:55 p.m. fire trucks from five surrounding towns began arriving, dispelling fears that the entire Main Street might be engulfed.

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Fire Destroys Three Main Street Buildings In W. Liberty Tuesday

Fire that broke out in downtown West Liberty Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock destroyed three Main street business buildings that housed seven businesses.

Destroyed in the raging conflagration were the Elam Utility building at the corner of Main and Prestonsburg Streets, the C. C. Elam, wooden structure adjacent, and the Rex Theatre building next to the C. C. Elam building.

The blaze started upstairs in the rear of the C. C. Elam wooden building, and then spread to the buildings on each side.

The fire siren sounded at 4:15. The town's volunteer fire department answered immediately, and soon had seven hoses playing on the fire from the town's fire truck parked across Main street.

Quick work by the volunteer fireman kept the blaze from spreading further along Main street, aided by a narrow alleyway between the Theatre Building and the old Morgan Motor Building.

At different times, however, when the wind shifted from its eastward blowing, it appeared the conflagration might spread further along Main street. Quick work of the volunteer fireman prevented this, but phone calls went out to Salyersville, Morehead, Mt. Sterling, Hazel Green, and Prestonsburg for assistance, and the fire departments of each town sent a fire truck and fireman.

Salyersville's was the first to arrive at 4:55, followed soon afterward by Hazel Green's, Morehead's, Mt. Sterling's and Prestonsburg's.

Trucks from Mt. Sterling and Hazel Green were used at the rear of the buildings, on Trimble Street. Others were kept on a stand-by basis until the blaze was brought under control about 6:30. Cause of the fire is unknown.

7 Businesses Affected

All seven businesses in the three buildings were either destroyed or badly damaged. In the corner brick building, owned by Mrs. Lillian Blair of Lexington, was the Elam Utility Co. office at street level and warehouse downstairs.

In the C. C. Elam building, owned by the C. C. Elam heirs were the Home Supply Company operated by Joe Haney and Harold Taulbee, the Williams Barber Shop, and a warehouse facility being used by Bob Caskey's Western Auto Store.

In the Rex Theatre Building, owned by Jay Burton, were the Lykins Jewelry Shop, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lykins, who had recently purchased the business from Mack Lewis; Marie's Tea Room, a restaurant operated by Marie Litteral, and the Rex Theatre, which though inoperative, was being readied by its owner, Jay Burton, for re-opening.

\$200,000 Damages

Early estimates place total damages at approximately \$200,000.

No one was hurt in the blaze, though firemen worked under intense pressure from searing heat and billowing smoke.

Same Area Burned in 1932

The same quarter-block area was wiped out by fire in 1932. That blaze started in the two-story Womack residence that stood where the Rex Theatre Building later was erected, then spread northward, consuming the post office building and the large general store of Blair, Bellamy and Caskey which stood on the corner where the Elam Utility Company building later was located. The 1932 conflagration was stopped at the alleyway adjacent to the old Arcade Building, one of West Liberty's oldest buildings.

Utility Firm's Loss

Though the Elam Utility

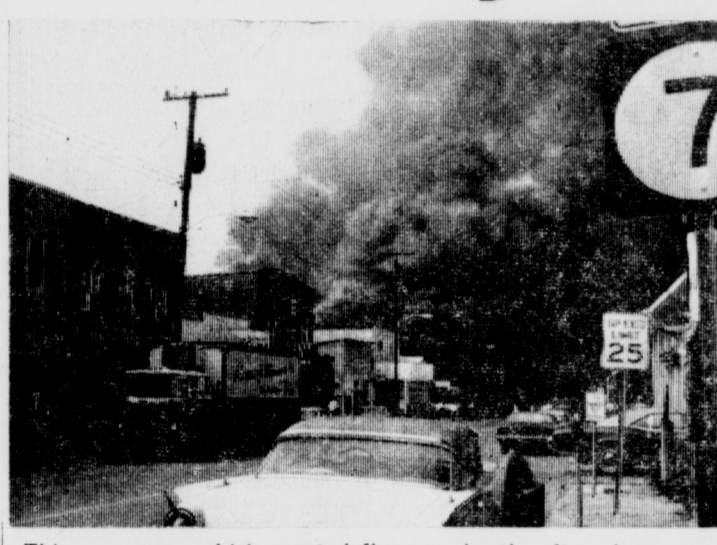
Co. office was gutted, net loss will not be over 1,500, it is estimated. Mrs. Olive Burton, clerk-bookkeeper, had just gotten home from the utility office when the fire siren sounded. She rushed back and bystanders helped get out the gas company's records and practically all office equipment. Stored downstairs were a quantity of pipe and fixtures, also heating equipment, etc. But most of the plumbing supplies can be salvaged, said B. C. Phillips of the utility firm. They wish to express thanks to everyone who helped save the office equipment and company records.

Some Jewelry Saved

Mrs. Glenn McKenzie, clerk at the Lykins Jewelry Shop, was assisted by a number of women and bystanders in carrying out a part of the jewelry, silver and some china. However, most of the china and crystal in the exclusive jewelry shop was lost, along with all wall cases and display cases.

Home Supply Loses Heavily

The Home Supply Company's stock of furniture and appliances in the C. C. Elam building was a total loss, and is estimated at \$5,000 by Joe Haney and Harold Taulbee, owners. They carried \$10,000



This was scene which greeted firemen shortly after alarm was sounded at 4:10 p.m. Fearing fire would spread to other business buildings at left, County Judge Gene Allen and Graden Walter phoned fire nearby towns for aid. All responded by sending fire trucks and men.

in insurance. Merchandise consisted of furniture, carpeting, appliances, a large quantity of plumbing and bathroom fixtures and a large quantity of hardware. Also their office equipment.

Burton's Loss Heavy

Jay Burton estimates loss of the theatre building at \$50,000, restaurant equipment in Marie's Tea Room at \$2,000, and movie theatre equipment, stored in the building, \$12,000. He carried \$10,000 in insurance.

Mr. Burton was planning to re-open the movie theatre, and lost the movie projector and lens, the screen, and all theatre seats.

Caskey Loss \$25,000

Bob Caskey who was using the C. C. Elam building as a storage facility for his Western Auto Store, estimates his loss at approximately \$25,000. It consisted of about \$10,000 worth of Christmas toys stored in the building, and a big quantity of household items such as televisions, air

conditioners, and other merchandise. He had no insurance.

Marie's Tea Room

Marie Litteral was able to save a few items from her tea room, including the adding machine, cash register, soft drink machine, and a quantity of cigarettes. All else was lost.

Barber Shop Lost

Russell Williams was able to get out one barber chair and an air conditioner from his barber shop. Nearly all else was lost.

Fire Discovered About 4:10 p.m.

The fire was discovered around 4:10 p.m. by several persons. It is not known who gave the first alarm. Workers in the buildings involved said they smelled no smoke and had no indication of the blaze until the siren rang.

Two of the businesses—Home Supply Co. and Elam Utility—had closed for the day.

Junior Ferguson, an employee of Elam Utility Co. and who was standing across Prestonsburg Street at Collins Ashland Oil Station, was one of the first to sound the alarm. He spotted flames "licking around the roof" at the rear of the C. C. Elam Building. (Continued on page four)



Miss Kay Denniston, right, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Denniston of Campton, was named Miss Licking Valley RECC of 1970 at the cooperative's annual membership meeting Tuesday at the RECC Fairgrounds at Malone. Miss Connie Lynne Ison, 16, at left, was first runnerup in the contest.

MISS LICKING VALLEY RECC TITLE GOES TO KAY DENNISTON OF CAMPTON

Morgan Lass Is
Runner-Up; 5,000
At Annual Event

Miss Kay Denniston, 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Denniston of Campton, was named Miss Licking Valley RECC of 1970, at the cooperative's annual membership meeting on Tuesday evening at Malone.

First Runner-Up honors went to Miss Connie Lynne Ison, 16-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ison, Jr., of Caney.

Approximately 5,000 persons witnessed the contest which is a traditional highlight of

the Licking Valley RECC Annual Meeting session.

Among other honors, Miss Denniston won an expense-paid trip to Louisville to participate in the state finals in August. The state finals will be held during the Kentucky State Fair to select "Miss Kentucky RECC of 1970". The winner of that title will represent the state in the national finals to be held in Dallas, Texas, next January, during the annual meeting of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

Heading the entertainment for this, the 30th annual meeting of Licking Valley RECC, were Nashville recording star Sandy Rucker, Jimmy King and the Tune Kings, Eric Adams and his chimpanzee friends, and the exciting unicyclists, Kirk and Joy.

During the business session of the meeting, the members of the cooperative heard reports on the activities of their cooperative by Manager Ed Gevedon; John G. Arnett, chairman of the board of directors, and C. W. Murphy, secretary.

In other action, the members of the Licking Valley RECC re-elected to the board of directors John G. Arnett of Salyersville, Thomas Richardson of Caney, Ted Adams of Salyersville, Burl Cundiff of Jackson, Joe D. Stacy of West Liberty, James Barfield of Lee City, and Glen Oldfield of Mize.

GAS WAS OFF AND PAPER IS LATE

The Courier appears late this week due to the fact utilities were off for a time Tuesday because of the fire on Main street, and gas remained off another half day Wednesday. The Courier's metal crucible on one line-type is operated by gas. Sorry but couldn't help it.

GOLF TOURN. SET FOR HOMECOMING

A golf tournament will be a new feature of this year's Morgan County School Homecoming banquet Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Contestants may qualify any time during the week of Aug. 3, Monday through Friday noon, at the new Pleasant Valley Country Club near West Liberty.

Championship play will be from Friday noon through Saturday, and as many flights will be played as there are qualifying contestants. Lynn Nickell, who will be manager of the tournament, announces that entry fee for the tourney will be \$10 and this will include green fees. (Entry fees should be mailed to Mr. Nickell at West Liberty.)

James R. Perry, chairman of this year's Homecoming, has secured Courier-Journal columnist Joe Creason as speaker for the homecoming banquet at 7 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 8.

YOUNG DEMOCRAT MEETING SET 26TH

The Morgan County Young Democrat Club will meet Friday of next week, July 24 at 6:30 at the courthouse in West Liberty. Joe Lykins, president, said all young Democrats are invited to the meeting. Plans for organizing for the coming campaign will be made.

The Battle of Blue Licks was the last major engagement against the Indians on Kentucky soil. The site is Blue Licks Battlefield, now established as a state park and shrine, near Mt. Olivet. A pioneer museum is maintained at the park.

Kentucky encompasses 40,395 square miles, ranking 37th among the states in area.

COLD CHECK ARTIST WANTED IN 19 STATES PASSES BOGUS CHECK HERE

A cold check artist wanted by Kentucky State Police and in 18 other states since 1962 passed a forged check in West Liberty Tuesday.

The bogus check—fitting a description of the forger's method of operation, distributed to banks and businesses by State Police—was recognized by Lanny Franklin when the victim attempted to cash it in at the Commercial Bank Wednesday.

By that time, the forger had skipped.

Lee Hampton, who operates

a boarding house on Riverside Drive, said he cashed the check when the man rented a room from him Tuesday.

Mr. Hampton described the man well-dressed with black, curly hair. Hampton said the man told him he had come to Morgan County to work on the Cannel City School and needed lodgings.

The check, written on a Winchester bank to the order of "Charles Nelson," and was signed "J. S. Swanton." The amount and signature were written in red ink and bore beneath the signature "Swanton Sheet Metal Works" rubber stamped in black ink.

According to a State Police bulletin to businesses and banks in Kentucky, the forger's checks are always signed by J. S. Swanton and stamped with Swanton Sheet Metal Works. They are always written to the order of "Harold Farley" or "Charles Nelson" and usually bear a number "205" or "529." He often orders flowers to be sent to a relatives in a local hospital or purchases paint to be delivered locally.

Businessmen and individuals in this area are warned to be on the lookout for anyone attempting to pass similar checks. If this forger offers or cashes a check at your business, law officials should be notified immediately.

DEEP TEST WELL IN ELLIOTT NOW DOWN 9,455 FEET

Drillers had penetrated to a depth of 9,455 feet Wednesday in the deep-test well being drilled for Monitor Petroleum Corp. in eastern Elliott county.

This is about 1,000 feet deeper than geologists for the New York firm had estimated they would have to go to hit the granite, or basement rock.

And drilling is being continued. But the bit is cutting in hard basal sand, and is making hole very slowly. "It takes about 200 minutes now (Continued on page four)

BOARD PURGES 2571 FROM ROLLS OF VOTERS HERE

The Morgan County Purgation Board at its first series of meetings pulled 2,571 names from the voter rolls of the county, leaving a total of 7,559 names on the rolls.

Members of the board are—John Oldfield, Jr., Democrat; Forest Lacy, Republican, and Alice Hill, assistant county clerk.

The board will meet in other sessions to do some re-checking before issuing a completed list of the names removed from voter rolls.

NATIONAL FARM SAFETY WEEK JULY 19 TO 25

BY H. A. WALLACE

The week of July 19, has been designated by President Nixon as National Farm Safety week. Recent statistics show that the number of accidental deaths in Agriculture is second only to that of the construction industry.

The President has asked all farm families, and every person and group allied with Agriculture, to make every effort permanently to reduce the number of accidents which occur at work, in homes, at recreation, and on the roadway. "We owe it to ourselves and our families to work and live safely."

BURLEY CROP TO BE DOWN 11 PCT.

The Kentucky Crop and Livestock Reporting Service estimates that Kentucky's burley tobacco crop will be down about 11 percent this year under 1969 production.

The 1970 Kentucky burley crop is forecast at 362.1 million pounds as compared to 1969 production of 405.4 million pounds.

Total burley production in the eight-state burley belt is forecast at 537.7 million pounds, down from last year's production of 591.4 million pounds, or a reduction of 53.7 million, belt-wide.

Kentucky's preliminary yield is forecast at 2550 pounds per acre. This is 55 pounds below last year's record yield of 2605 pounds. Final yield will be determined by weather and other factors from now until the end of the growing season. The crop was in good condition (about the same as last year) on July 1.

Corn production in Kentucky this year is forecast at 77.5 million bushels, up 1% over last year's production. Yield is expected to be 74 bushels per acre.

Wheat production will be down 5% and soybean production will be up 7%, said the Crop Reporting Board.

Natural Bridge State Park sports a man-made waterfall as one of its beauty spots. The waterfall serves as a spillway for the new fishing lake.



—Photo by Dan Lacy

FIRE'S AFTERMATH — Ruins of gutted buildings still smoulder on Wednesday morning.

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FIVE TOWNS SENDS HELP WHEN FIRE THREATENS WEST LIBERTY

West Liberty officials and citizens appreciate the quick response of five neighboring towns which sent fire trucks and fire fighters to help contain Tuesday's disastrous fire on Main Street.

Responding quickly to phone calls from County Judge Gene Allen were volunteer fire departments from Salyersville, Hazel Green, Morehead, Mt. Sterling and Prestonsburg.

West Liberty has only one fire truck. It was on the scene quickly and the town's volunteer fire force soon had seven hoses playing on the fire, and later a total of 11. However, it appear-

ed at some points the fire would get out of control and spread further along Main Street.

The fire siren sounded about 4:15 p.m. Salyersville had a fire truck on the scene by 4:55; Hazel Green and Morehead by 5:20 and Mt. Sterling a few minutes later. Breaks went out on the Prestonsburg fire truck, but the firemen brought it on to West Liberty, arriving after 5:30.

Cooperation of this type exhibits a fine spirit among Eastern Kentucky towns, and this spirit of cooperation is deeply appreciated by all West Liberty people.

WILL IT BE REASON -- OR EXPERIENCE?

"I do not oppose all that seems wrong, because the multitudes are more effectively set right by experience than kept from going wrong by reasoning with them."

—Benj. Franklin

Franklin, after helping win the Revolution and then working ceaselessly for ratification of the Constitution, issued the above statement when our Republic was in its infancy, finding its way along uncharted paths. Even if reasoning had kept the populace off shoals and reefs, they may not have appreciated the guidance. But trial and error — experience, to be exact — taught our forebearers dear lessons, lessons they come to know were bonafide. Would they

have been so sure through reason only, minus the experience?

It seems the human race should be advanced sufficiently to abide by reason alone — but Franklin knew better. On some things the populace just has to find out for itself by trial and error.

And in this volatile age of change, will reason govern? Or may we learn only through experience? If so, what will this method of trial and error pull us into before we realize the results and then reason out the manner?

Experience causes one to suddenly realize what reason had already tried to teach.

JUNIOR COLLEGE TRANSFER STUDENTS DO BETTER THAN "NATIVE" STUDENTS

A study of the academic performance of community (two-year) college transfer students compared to students who took their academic work on the central campus of the University of Kentucky, reveals no great difference in the academic performance of the two groups.

In fact, the two-year college transfer students achieved slightly higher grades for their four years of college work than a comparable number of "native" students on the four-year campus.

The study was made by Dr. R. N. Sutton, native of Rockcastle county and now director of admissions at Western Kentucky University.

Dr. Sutton used matched-pair design, studying performances of 140 pairs of students, half from community colleges and half "native" students.

Average of their respective grades for four years of college turned out this way—

"Native" Student — 1st Year, 2.51; 2nd Year, 2.58; 3rd Year, 2.57; 4th Year, 2.83.

Transfer Student — 1st Year, 2.76; 2nd Year, 2.98; 3rd Year, 2.61; 4th Year, 2.88.

Their academic performance was measured

in terms of grade-point averages.

This newspaper for several years has championed the need for community, or junior colleges, with free bus transportation into neighboring areas. We have long maintained that four year campuses can profit greatly through the two-year college system, because native Kentucky students who get their first two years of college work at community colleges, or anywhere, for that matter, will make better upper-classmen on four-year campuses than students from outside the state.

But junior colleges are needed in order that native Kentuckians from low-income families may receive a chance to go to college.

Also, free bus transportation is needed for students who find it impossible to commute privately to junior colleges.

Such a system will cost parents and taxpayers less than building costly dormitories on four-year campuses, will provide equal educational opportunities to all Kentuckians, and will provide four-year campuses with a better type of upper classmen.

ON EDGE OF SERVITUDE

THE RICHMOND REGISTER

Saturday, May 9, was an unusual day. That was the day in 1970 when the average American taxpayer finally quit working for the government and began working for himself. From January 1 until May 9 — over four

month — every dollar he earned would be required to pay taxes on his earnings for the year. Stated in another way, the average American taxpayer worked two hours and 49 minutes out of an eight-hour day just to pay his tax bills.

OBSERVATIONS AND PREDICTIONS

LIMIT FARM SUBSIDIES—

After a two-year fight, the Senate last week voted an amendment to a farm appropriation bill that will limit subsidy payments to any farm to \$20,000 maximum. The amendment already had been approved by the House. But the limitation will effect few farms in Kentucky. Last year only 11 farms received subsidy payments above \$20,000. Top subsidy payment in Kentucky last year went to Reynolds Metals Co., which collected \$34,500 for farm practices on its 9,000 acre farm in Henderson county.

TRY KILLING TOBACCO PRO-

GRAM — Senator Frank Moss of Utah caught tobacco state senators unaware last Thursday and proposed an amendment to the Agriculture Department appropriation bill which if it had passed would have barred use of federal funds for the tobacco price-support program. But tobacco states senators rallied their forces quickly and defeated the anti-smoking amendment 52 to 15. Moss's amendment also sought to prohibit federal payment of tobacco insect and grading fees. Moss is a long-time critic of the tobacco program, claiming it is a health hazard. His state grows the most pork in the nation, and health authorities long have known that pork, particularly hard fat, is the prime cause of arteriosclerosis (hardening of the arteries), yet Senator Moss has never sought to outlaw pork production, nor label it as dangerous to health.

TOBACCO USE DROPS — Domestic use of burley tobacco dropped 28 million pounds dur-

ing the 1968-69 marketing year, and a total of 27% of the 1969 burley crop was taken by the co-op support price, a 17% jump over the previous year. Acreage was reduced 10% for 1970 but this amounts to only 7½% because bases under one-half acre cannot be cut. Joseph J. Todd, deputy director of the tobacco branch of the Agriculture Department, told co-op members recently, "growers cannot keep their programs if they do not bring supplies into better balance with demand and reduce government loan holdings. I think this will require a drastic change in the production adjustment program." He indicated growers would have to go to acreage-poundage control.

WHY NOT CAMARGO

UNIVERSITY? — The Kentucky Historical Society and the State Highway Department last week erected a historical marker at the site of the once famous Olympia Springs health resort in southern Bath county. And the marker is well merited at this once famous spa of early days where the wealthy and socially minded enjoyed a gay whirl of social activities. History says the first stage coach line was established in 1803 and ran from Lexington through Winchester and Mt. Sterling to Olympia Springs. And another historic place should be marked nearby—the fabled University of Camargo, where the late Judge Ed C. O'Rear told an elite up-East meeting of attorneys that he studied law. O'Rear was reared on a farm on Wilson Road near Camargo, and "read law" in the office of Judge John Tom Hazelrigg in West Liberty while he was serving as a printer's devil in the office of the Mountain Scorch in West Liberty. But the "University of Camargo" served as his alma matre when the up-East group asked each attorney to in-

roduce himself and state his alma matre. It's a fabled university, and its memory should be perpetuated.

NEW READERS — The Courier received 41 NEW subscriptions during June to be delivered by mail, hardly so many as in winter months, but still more than usual for June of years past.

KENTUCKY JUSTICES — Information you might want to cache away for possible future use: Kentucky is the only state to have three native sons serving together on the U. S. Supreme Court on two separate occasions. In the 1930's Justices Stanley Reed (Mason County), James McReynolds (Elkton) and Louis D. Brandeis (Louisville) served at the same time. Then in the 1940's and 50's, Chief Justice Fred Vinson (Louisia) and Justice Reed and Wiley Rutledge (Tar Springs) sat together on the high court.

—Joe Creason, Courier Journal

KENTUCKY COLONELS — The Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels — and there are a host of these honorary "military" men — this year donated \$30,000 to the Kentucky Historical Society, and the society's president, Publisher Enos Swain of Danville, announces that the society will use the gift to purchase and operate a Historymobile with a view to converting it into a traveling museum. The Historymobile will give citizens who don't have a chance to visit the Historical Society's museum in the Old State Capitol building in Frankfort, a glimpse of historical items and thus acquaint them with some of the treasures of Kentucky's past stored there.

In the 1968-69 school year, 305 public and private secondary schools included a course on venereal disease in their regular curriculum. At least one school in each of the 120 counties participated, with 100 percent participation in 22 counties.

BUSINESS HERE AND HEREAABOUTS

STATE REVENUE for the past fiscal year, ending June 30, may exceed predictions, with approximately \$1,000,000 to spare," said Revenue Commissioner J. E. Luckett last week.

AT PAINTSVILLE, citizen's group opposed to overweight coal trucks suggests it may seek to impeach some Johnson County officials. Brady Rose, president of Citizens' League for Law Enforcement, would not specify the official or officials the group is opposing.

APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION announced a \$286,400 federal grant to Bell County Vocational School, Pineville, to pay for equipment to be used in auto mechanics and television repair courses. State and local funds will provide the balance of a \$358,000 project.

TOBACCO FARMERS are taking their fight against three major television networks to a higher court. U. S. District Court at Lexington dismissed a suit in which the farmers sought to stop networks from using anti-smoking messages which farmers consider to be untrue. Kentucky Farm Bureau Executive Secretary John W. Koon said the farmers have appealed to the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals at Cincinnati.

KENTUCKY'S POPULATION increased by 122,156 over the last decade, according to the preliminary figures from the U. S. Census Bureau. The 1970 population count was put at 3,160,312. . . . The state's largest city, Louisville, lost 33,716 residents during the 10-year period, numbering 356,923 citizens in 1970. Jefferson County, however, gained 79,028, for a 1970 count of 689,975. Urban renewal and the trend to suburban living was trend to reason for the decline in Louisville's population. . . . Preliminary figures also showed that Lexington's gain of 45,134 residents upped 1970 total to 107,944 and places the Fayette County metropolitan area in line to become a first-class city. The state constitution provides a city may become first-class after achieving a population of more than 100,000. The action, however, must come from the General Assembly. . . . Lack of employment was blamed for population losses in Southern Kentucky. The count in the 5th District dropped from 417,544 to 383,169 in 1970.

BEG YOUR PARDON

The name of Mrs. Glenda Carol Griffiths Vest, a spring graduate at Morehead State University, was inadvertently omitted from the list of Morgan Countians who received their degrees at MSU in June. Mrs. Vest, who received her B. A. degree, also was named to the Dean's List with a perfect 4.0 academic standing for the spring semester. She is the wife of Asa Mervel Vest of West Liberty.

NOTICE OF BIDS

Bids are being accepted by the Morgan County High School, West Liberty, Ky., for concession, see — Resvie Wheeler, for milk, bread and etc, see Mrs. Irene Vest.

Sealed bids will be opened at the Principal's Office August 3, 1970 at 1:00 p.m. All bids should be sent to the principal's office at Morgan County High School West Liberty, Ky.

Richard Jett, Principal (Pub. July 16, 23, 30)

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NATURAL PARADISE IN

RED RIVER GORGE — Red River Gorge has some 60 species of fish, 33 species of amphibians, 32 reptiles, 224 species of birds in the gorge and nearby Red River basin, according to Dr. Edgar W. Barber, professor of zoology of the University of Kentucky. And there possibly are 1,500 species of wildflowers, and 150 species of woody plants, he says.

LITTLE MARY SUNSHINE

OPENS AT PRESTONSBURG — PRESTONSBURG, Ky. — "Little Mary Sunshine," a musical adventure of old Colorado opens at the Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre in Prestonsburg this week, to run Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, July 16 through Aug. 1. Tickets are \$2.00 for students and \$2.50 for adults.

5113 Kentuckians were reported as being infected with a venereal disease in 1968.

Tyler Reunion Held At West Liberty

The Tyler Reunion was held Sunday, July 12 at the West Liberty Playground. A short business meeting was held under the direction of Mrs. Gobel Dunn of Ludlow, Ky.

A poem, "The Way To God" was read by Mrs. A. M. Davis. Special music was provided by The Chambers Family of Hazel Green.

Following an invocation by Rev. A. M. Davis a delicious lunch was enjoyed by the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Combs and family of Hazard; Julian Lasso of Hazard; Lillian Potter, Kevin Bach, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Dyer and son, Jeffersonville, Arthur and Anetta Ricketts and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goble and James, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cottle, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harper, Lost Creek, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Chambers, Clarence and Karen of Hazel Green, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds, Kenova, W. Va., Mrs. Elmer Lawson, Ezel, Marvin Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Sheets, Hershell, Gary and Tammy, Mae Crase, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Orear, Lexington, Mr. James Whit, Mr. and Mrs. Corbet Crase and girls, Eugene Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Dorcas Dyer and family, Golda and Jeanette Patrick of Middletown, Ohio, Mrs. Roy Tyler, Guilford and Thelma Tyler, Friendsville, Tenn., R. F. Tyler, Maryville, Tenn., Jewell Richie, Hamilton, Ohio, Rev. Ambrose Davis and wife, of Brooksville, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tyler, Angie Johnson, Robert and Edna Elam, Verona, Ky., Glenn Tyler, Kingsport, Tenn., Sebe Tyler, Hazard, Mr. and Mrs. Gobel Dunn, Ludlow, Ky.

Esta Lyons, Robert Little, Lonnie Watson, Lorraine Watson, Lonnie Ray Watson, Violet June Watson, Linda Gail Watson, Gregory Lee Watson, Johnny Little, Christine Burton, Ralph Burton, Linda Vaughn, Gladys Chessman, Carson Harper, Herbert Harper, Pete Harper, Kathleen Harper, Dave Harper, Mike Harper, Tim Harper.

The Tyler Family Association wishes to thank the West Liberty Baptist Church for the use of their tables and Potter Funeral Home for the use of their chairs.

BIRTH OF A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Willard P. Lawson of Miamisburg, Ohio announce the birth of a daughter July 1 in the Miami Valley Hospital. The baby weighed 8 lbs., 13 ounces and has been named Leticia Gail. The Lawsons have a son, Greg, age 4. Mrs. Lawson is the former Charlotte Gevedon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Gevedon. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Cora Lawson of Louisville. Mr. Lawson is a brother to Mrs. Paul Carpenter of Ezel.

ANDY SHANNON OF LOUISA PASSES

LOUISA, Ky. — Andrew T. (Andy) Shannon, 86, retired Louisa building contractor, died July 7 in a Paintsville nursing home. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Elmer Lyons of Paintsville, Mrs. Homer Wright, Jr. of Louisa, and Mrs. Clay Snedger of Frankfort, and a son, Andrew of Huntington.

Fire Siren Calls

Main Street — One Long
Prestonsburg Street — one long and one short.

Broadway — One long and two shorts.

Riverside Drive — One Long and three shorts.

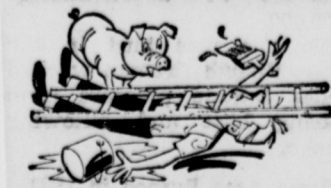
Glen Avenue — One Long and four shorts.

Wells Hill — Two longs.

Keeton Heights — Three longs.

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Q: Is a veteran 65 years of age or older required to furnish evidence of disability to be eligible for VA pension?

A: No, unless he is also claiming he is housebound or requires aid and attendance.

Q: I was just discharged from the Army, and have two teeth that need filling. Will the VA do this for me?

A: In most cases, yes, but you should apply at once — preferably, within six months of separation. In no event should you delay applying for this dental treatment for more than one year from the date of your discharge.

Q: My husband, a veteran, died recently, and the VA paid his life insurance to his former wife even though they had been divorced 15 years ago. Why was this done?

A: The VA is required by law to pay the insurance to the last person designated as beneficiary by the insured veteran.

Q: I am a single veteran attending college while drawing educational assistance from the VA. I plan to marry a widow with two children. Will I have to adopt the children in order to receive increased education assistance?

A: No. You may claim them as step-children, if they live in your household. It is not necessary to adopt them to qualify for additional assistance.

MORGAN COUNTIANS IN

FAIRBORN, OHIO

BY NORA EASTERLING

July 13 — I am glad to hear that my brother, Elder Arthur Johnson of West Liberty, Ky., is able to preach again.

My grandson, Ricky Williams, road his bicycle in the Fairborn School, July 4.

Mrs. Helen Easterling is able to go back to work at the Air Force Base.

Betty Spurlock was Friday guest of Marie Williams.

Rev. Tooney Easterling was Friday guest of George Wright.

Friday guests of Mrs. Amanda Miller were Mr. and Mrs. Olen Montgomery and Clayton Miller.

Friday guests of Mrs. Raymond Williams were Mrs. Kathy Patrick and baby, Mrs. June Clevering and Vicky, Jerry Melby, Micky Mays and boy friend, Mrs. Betty Spurlock, Connie Robin, and Marshal, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Williams and Toni.

Miss Connie Spurlock is on the sick list.

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West Liberty, Ky., July 16, 1970

Consolidated Report of Condition of COMMERCIAL BANK

Of West Liberty in the State of Kentucky
and Domestic Subsidiaries

At the Close of Business on June 30, 1970

ASSETS

1. Cash and due from banks (including \$8,034.24 unposted debits)	777,910.01
2. U. S. Treasury securities	3,806,815.63
3. Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	200,000.00
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	601,707.00
5. Other loans	4,404,638.07
6. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	307,057.03
14. TOTAL ASSETS	10,098,127.74

LIABILITIES

15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,445,323.41
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,058,095.66
17. Deposits of United States Government	41,974.00
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	528,782.98
19. Deposits of commercial banks	125,000.00
20. Certified and officers' checks, etc.	32,127.40
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$9,231,303.45
(a) Total demand deposits	\$3,901,207.79
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$5,330,095.66
27. Other liabilities	15,369.14
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	9,246,672.59

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	35,089.13
31. Other reserves on loans	19,630.67
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	54,719.85

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

35. Equity capital, total (sum of items 36 to 40 below)	796,735.30
37. Common stock-total par value	200,000.00
38. Surplus	400,000.00
39. Undivided profits	196,735.30
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 34 and 35 above)	796,735.30
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 28, 29, 33, and 41 above)	10,098,127.74

MEMORANDA

1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	9,636,983.46
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	4,206,878.06
3. Unearned discount on installment loans included in total capital accounts	15,369.14

I, Alden W. Collins, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear and affirm that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALDEN W. COLLINS

Correct—Attest:

MRS. CORTIS K. STACY
JAMES R. PERRY
WOODROW STAMPER

Directors

State of Kentucky, County of Morgan, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of July, 1970, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

EMMA DEAN CECIL

Notary Public

My commission expires Feb. 7, 1973

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Personals

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowland were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morrison of Reno, Virginia. The McClures and Morrisons also visited Mrs. Lexie McKinney.

Sunday visitors of the Rowlands were Mrs. Willard Barker and Mrs. Pauline Spencer of Dayton, Ohio and Mrs. Edith Martin and granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris and children of Washington, D. C. recently spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lona Gose of Woodbend, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Williams, and brother, Henry Gose, of Dayton, Ohio. They were enroute to Canada on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry D. Wheeler and family of Middletown, Ohio were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wheeler of Woodbend. Sunday dinner guests of the Wheelers were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wheeler and family and James Gunnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barker and daughter, Pauline, spent the weekend with Mrs. H. G. Sheets at Woodbend.

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Mrs. French Cline

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A family get-together was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crase in West Liberty. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wireman, Mike, Shirley, Linda, Greg, and Tammy, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Wireman, and Mrs. Mary Peyton all of White Oak, Mr. and Mrs. James Perkins and Lynn of Stacy Fork, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howard, Jr., Steve, Karen, Patricia, and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crase, Ricky and Randy. The group enjoyed pitching horseshoes and later all went swimming.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Morrison of Troutville, Va. called on W. H. "Tooger" Wells during the weekend and Mrs. Morrison bought one of Tooger's special whips for her younger brother. Mrs. Morrison is the daughter of the late L. B. McClure of Morgan County and has been visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Helen Trimble and son, Joey Childers, of Middletown, Ohio came after her daughter, Vicki, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mary Jane Cox, and her aunt, Floris Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caskey of Shelby, Ohio visited in West Liberty and vicinity from Friday until Monday. Mrs. Caskey, the former Grace Lewis, is a former Morgan County teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbett McKinney and Mrs. George Anne Kash of Omer visited Mrs. Cora Fannin last Thursday. Mrs. Fannin is in ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Belcher of Miamisburg, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Delmond Rose of Miamisburg, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Potter July 4th weekend. On Sunday the 5th of July the Potter-Belcher's and Roses all attended the Potter reunion at the Breaks of Big Sandy.

Atty Harry Scheer of Huntington, land attorney for the United States Corps of Engineers, has been in Morgan county this week closing purchase contracts with some Morgan people on land needed for Cave Run Reservoir.

Mrs. Pauline D. Blair has returned from Huntington and is again residing at her home on Riverside Drive in West Liberty.

Berlyn Brown, of Cynthia, former ACS director in Morgan county, was a brief visitor in West Liberty Wednesday.

He is now assigned as ACS director in Breathitt and Lee counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Craft of Vero Beach, Fla., are spending some time here visiting relatives and friends. They are staying at Stamper's Motel.

Supt. and Mrs. Sedley Stewart and daughter of Beattyville were visitors in West Liberty Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lamkin of Louisville came Friday and spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Kinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Williams of Lebanon, Ohio were visitors in West Liberty last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Nickell were at Paris Island, S. C. the July 4th weekend visiting their son, 1st Lt. Robert Nickell and Mrs. Nickell.

Mrs. C. K. Stacy of West Liberty and Mrs. Otto P. Carr of Morehead are members of a tourist party, sponsored by the Kentucky Bankers Association, that is spending this week on the Mediterranean Island of Majorica, with side trips to Algiers and Madrid, Spain. The group of over 200 left Saturday by plane from Louisville and will return this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ratliff went to Ashland Tuesday to spend a few days with Mrs. Jake Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Orear Whitt and daughters of Lexington are spending part of their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitt and Nute of Wrigley and Mrs. Roy Tyler and Junior of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Orear Whitt and daughters of Lexington and Mr. and Mrs. James Whitt spent Wednesday at Grayson Reservoir and Carter Caves and enjoyed a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Orear Whitt and daughters visited with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cox and Randolph and Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Cox and Pam Monday evening.

Mrs. Chalmers Allen, Mrs. Louise Coldiron, Mrs. Earl Price, and Helen Price Stacy drove to Harrodsburg Saturday and attended a showing of The Legend of Daniel Boone. They were the guests of John Crockett, producer of the play.

Mrs. Acie V. Henry and daughters of Middletown, Ohio, and Mrs. W. P. Henry of Ezel called on Deloris Smith and family, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and "Joy" visited at Rockhouse last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Hopkins and their guests, Chaplain and Mrs. Paul D. Hopkins and family, who have just returned from three years in Germany. They enjoyed seeing color slides including some of the Adkins' son, Tony, who is stationed in Germany. Tony has visited in the Hopkins home many times during the past eight months.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Marvin Hall of Mt. Sterling spent the weekend with their parents, Mrs. Justine Hall of White Oak and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins. Mrs. Hall remained for a longer visit with her parents, the Adkins family.

Mrs. Hager Arnett of the Caney community, who has been a patient in a Lexington hospital for several days, underwent surgery Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barker and two daughters of Caney have returned home after spending their vacation in Atlanta, Georgia visiting her sister, Mrs. Teddie Morrison. While there they visited Stone Mountain, Underground Atlanta, and Six-Flags over Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lykins of Ashland are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. Wanda Barker at Caney.

Reva Ren of Saginaw, Michigan visited Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Peyton and family at Kellace, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Peyton and daughter, Vickie of Kellace visited Mr. and Mrs. Lenville Lewis and family of Blaze, Sunday afternoon.

Atty. and Mrs. Robert (Jack) Hutchinson and son, Robby, spent the weekend in the Smoky Mountains.

ABEE Byron E. May, who spent a 30-day furlough, recently, with his mother, Mrs. Eve May, visited with his former classmate, Jan Davis of Downey, California, who was visiting her sister, Deloris Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey of Shelby, Ohio returned home Sunday after spending a week with her mother, Deloris Smith at Toms Branch, and his mother, Mrs. Dillard Bailey of White Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ruth were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson and son, Kenny, of Hazel Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Duvall Smith, Norma Jean and Albert of Trenton, Ohio visited Sunday with relatives at Toms Branch.

Prof. C. C. Carpenter of Junction City, Tenn., visited here a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Reel of Harlan, spent last weekend with Mrs. Brook's sister, Mrs. Hazel Moore and family at Buchanan, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Manning, Marilyn, Anita, and Keith were shopping in Lexington Saturday.

Mrs. Audrey Carpenter of Ezel was in Lexington last Friday to see her doctor. Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carpenter were her mother, Mrs. Cora Lawson of Louisville, and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawson of Shepherdsville, Ky.

Cassandra May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert May of West Liberty, attended the Young Democrat Convention in Louisville, Ky. She was a delegate from Morehead State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Osborne and children of Sanford, Fla., returned home Monday after spending a few days with relatives in West Liberty and Cannel City.

MRS. GILLESPIE DIES IN FLORIDA

Bessie Lake Gillespie, 63, a native of Morgan County and a former resident of Hazel Green, died Tuesday in Clearwater, Fla.

Survivors include her husband, Rodney Gillespie; one daughter, Mrs. Donald Scott of Dunedin, Fla., and one grandchild, and five sisters, Mrs. Clifford Sieter, Mrs. Wilbur Jones, and Mrs. Margaret Redman of St. Petersburg, Fla., Mrs. Charley Baer of Menifee County, and Mrs. Arthur Schmidt of Cincinnati.

The body is at Herald and Stewart Funeral Home where funeral arrangements were incomplete at press time.

Fort Knox, established in 1918, was named in honor of Henry T. Knox, Revolutionary War general and first secretary of War. It contains 106,060 acres and the U.S. gold repository, a fortified bullion vault housing most of the U.S. gold reserve.

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MORGAN COUNTY FARM FIELD DAY SET FOR NEXT THURSDAY AT EZEL

Event At Farm Of Harold Rose Starts At 10:30

Livestock and feed production will be the central theme of a farm tour and home remodeling and construction will be points of interest for both men and women at Morgan County's annual Farm and Home Field Day Thursday, July 23, at the farm of Harold and Dorothy Rose at Ezel.

Mr. Rose conducts a modern feed-production program in conjunction with a successful dairy operation. And with an average annual production of 12,000 lb. of milk per cow and a carrying capacity of one cow per every two acres of silage and forage, Mr. Rose's farming operation is an outstanding example of the opportunities offered by hillside farming in this section of Eastern Kentucky.

MODERN HILLSIDE FARMING OPERATION WIDELY ACCLAIMED

Though many outside the region continue to view East Kentucky hill land as of little agricultural value, Mr. Rose is helping to dispel this image. His program has been featured in this region's edition of the Progressive Farmer. In addition, his farming operation will be the subject of a color feature in the July 17 edition of The Louisville Courier Journal. Kentucky Farmer Magazine also plans an article on his successful operation.

The farm tour, scheduled to leave the Roses' home at 10:30 a.m. July 23, will be via tractor wagon and will have some interesting stops.

The cows themselves will be subjects of much interest. Also of interest will be the forage and silage crops. Good stands of red clover in pastures are the result of renovation and fertility programs patterned on successful research findings at the University of Kentucky. Also to be viewed will be four varieties of alfalfa, two of which are said to be somewhat resistant to the alfalfa weevil; silage corn; plans for a new milking parlor, freestall housing, and feeding operation; irrigation system in operation; and a method of reseeding legumes, and pasture rotation.

JOHN HISKEL AMONG THOSE TO SPEAK

Featured speaker for the event is John Hiskel of WSAZ-TV, Huntington, W. Va.; Shirley Phillips, Assistant Director of Extension in Agriculture at the University of Kentucky; Bob Walls, area Extension dairy specialist, and Bradley Brown, area development specialist.

Mrs. Mary Jo Litten, Extension specialist in housing, and Mrs. Rose will conduct a tour of the newly remodeled farm home.

Also to be featured will be some good 4-H demonstrations under direction of Geen Floyd, a recent addition to the Morgan County Extension staff. The Morgan County Homemakers will provide the vittles and promise a delicious and wholesome lunch for all who attend.

The Morgan County Extension Service staff invites everyone to attend the field day. County Extension Agent Douglas Howard, commenting to The Courier on the excellence of Mr. Rose's forage and livestock program, said, "Morgan County may well claim the right to the title 'Bluegrass County of the Mountains' if more of our people would take a close look at what is being done by Mr. Rose and then apply the same innovations to their own farming operations."

RENA FREDERICK DIES FOLLOWING A LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Rena Elam Frederick, 86, of Cottle died Sunday at 7 p.m. at St. Claire Medical Center, Morehead, following a long illness. She was the widow of the late Henry Clay Frederick and had been a member of the Church of Christ for 50 years.

Born June 1, 1884, at Florress, she was a daughter of the late John and Maggie Canada Elam.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Della Austin of Dunkirk, Ind., Mrs. Cassie Osborne of Willard, Ohio, and Mrs. Anna Clay Cottle of West Liberty; three sons, Malcolm Frederick of Morris, Ill., and Findley and Jess Frederick of Mansfield, Ohio, and 17 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Herald and Stewart Funeral Home Chapel by Rev. Alaska Marshall. Burial was in the Lacy Cemetery at Florress under the direction of Herald and Stewart Funeral Home.

BURNING STOVE CAUSES MINOR DAMAGE SATURDAY AT KEETON HEIGHTS HOME

The West Liberty Fire Department answered a call at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchinson in Keeton Heights about noon Saturday, after an electric cook stove caught fire. Mr. Ray Mitchell extinguished the blaze. Damages consisted of loss of the stove and minor damage.

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Date: Tuesday, July 21, 1970

Time: 7:30 P.M. EDST

Place: West Liberty Elementary School

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WEST LIBERTY, KENTUCKY

Your Southern States Cooperative Agency

West Liberty, Ky, July 16, 1970

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DORSE B. ARNETT, WOLFE NATIVE, DIES IN OHIO

Dorse Byron Arnett, 73, of Marion, Ohio died Saturday, July 11, at 10 a.m. He was a retired farmer and was a native of Lee City.

Born Nov. 20, 1896, at Trent in Wolfe County, he was a son of the late James and Margaret Patrick Arnett.

Survivors include his wife, Ora Miller Arnett of Lee City; two sons, Julius Byron Arnett of Ypsilanti, Mich., and Bobby Charles Arnett of Marion, Ohio; one daughter, Wewoka Shockey of Marion, Ohio; three brothers, F. O. Arnett of Route 1 Campton, Charles Vernon Arnett of Washington, D. C., and Boyd Edison Arnett of Silver Springs, Md.

Funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the First Church of God at Lee City by Rev. Forrest Bailey. Burial was in the Hazel Green Cemetery under the direction of Potter Funeral Home, West Liberty.

PARIS FERGUSON OF RELIEF DIES

Paris Hershel Ferguson, 75, a retired merchant of Relief, died at 2 p.m. Monday at the Daniel Boone Convalescent Center at Morehead. He was a member of the Enterprise Baptist Church.

Born Feb. 26, 1895, at Relief, he was a son of the late John and Sally Sherman Ferguson.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ray Hutchinson of Relief, and Mrs. Ray Birchwell of West Liberty; two brothers, R. L. Ferguson of Relief and W. N. Ferguson of Moon, and four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. at the Paint Valley Church at Relief with Revs. Ellis Hamilton, John Pelfrey, and Lowell Ferguson officiating. Burial was in the Ferguson Cemetery at Relief under the direction of Potter Funeral Home.

Luke P. Blackburn was the only physician ever to hold the office of governor of Kentucky. He served from 1879-83.

Marriage Licenses in Morgan County

Bill S. Ball, 18, son of Silas Ball, of Piqua, Ohio, and Cathy Mae Owens, 16, daughter of Dallas Owens, of West Liberty.

Archie Lee Owens, 20, son of Dallas Owens, of Smith Creek, and Linda Kay Ball, 16, daughter of Ransom Ball, of Crockett.

John Henry Wright, 19, son of Coy Wright, of Rt. 3 West Liberty, and Marcia Kay Ferguson, 17, daughter of Paul Ferguson, of Rt. 3 West Liberty.

James Lee Campbell, 22, son of William H. Campbell, of West Liberty, and Lynetta Ray Ferguson, 18, daughter of Kenneth Lewis, of Rt. 1 West Liberty.

Barry Ferguson, 18, son of Lowell D. Ferguson, of Middletown, Ohio, and Sandra Fugett, 17, daughter of Norman Fugett, of Blaze.

Larry Lewis, 19, son of Bascom Lewis, of Rt. 2 West Liberty, and Betty Joy Barker, 17, daughter of Ray Barker, of Rt. 2 West Liberty.

Larry Dean Burchett, 21, son of Roger Burchett, of Crockett, and Millie Carolyn Lewis, 20, daughter of Ernest Lewis, of West Liberty.

George Tackett, 21, son of Willard Tackett, of Frenchburg, and Martha Cantrell, 17, daughter of Alvie Cantrell, of Rt. 3, West Liberty.

Lee Cantrell, 18, son of Arlie Cantrell, of Rt. 3 West Liberty, and Aannaleen Pack, 18, daughter of Hershel Pack, of Rt. 3 West Liberty.

Lenville Spencer, 45, salesman, of Ashland, and Vena Oliver, 41, daughter of Norman Thornsbury, of Newfoundland.

Dee Henderson, 51, of Hitchins, and Ida Jane Skaggs, 36, daughter of Milford Skaggs, of Rt. 3, Olive Hill.

St. James Court in Louisville contains some of the most magnificent mansions from the city's past. Many are now restored to their former splendor and the street now hosts an annual art show which draws art buffs from several states.

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6 oz. Cans	10c
Green Peppers, Cucumbers, Carrots, each	10c
Stokely Applesauce, No. 303	4 for 69c
Newport Cut Green Beans	
No. 2 1/2	5 for \$1.00
American Beauty Tomato Catsup	
12 oz. Bottle	3 for 59c
Keebler Town House Crackers	
12 oz. Box	39c
Winter Garden Frozen Fruit Cobblers:	
Apple, Blackberry, Cherry, Peach, Blueberry, 2 lb.	89c
Dale Distilled Vinegar, Qt.	19c
Paramount Chili Hot Dog Sauce	
10 1/2 oz. Can	2 for 49c
Lux Liquid, Reg. Size	33c
Dove Liquid, Reg. Size	33c
Lux Soap, Reg. Size	4 for 37c
Lifebuoy Soap, Reg. Size	3 for 39c
Phase III Soap, Reg. Size	2 for 39c
Robin Hood Flour, 25 Lb.	\$1.99
Fresh Local Green Beans	4 lbs. 89c
Fresh Local Yellow Corn	4 lbs. 49c
Fresh Home Grown Tomatoes	Available

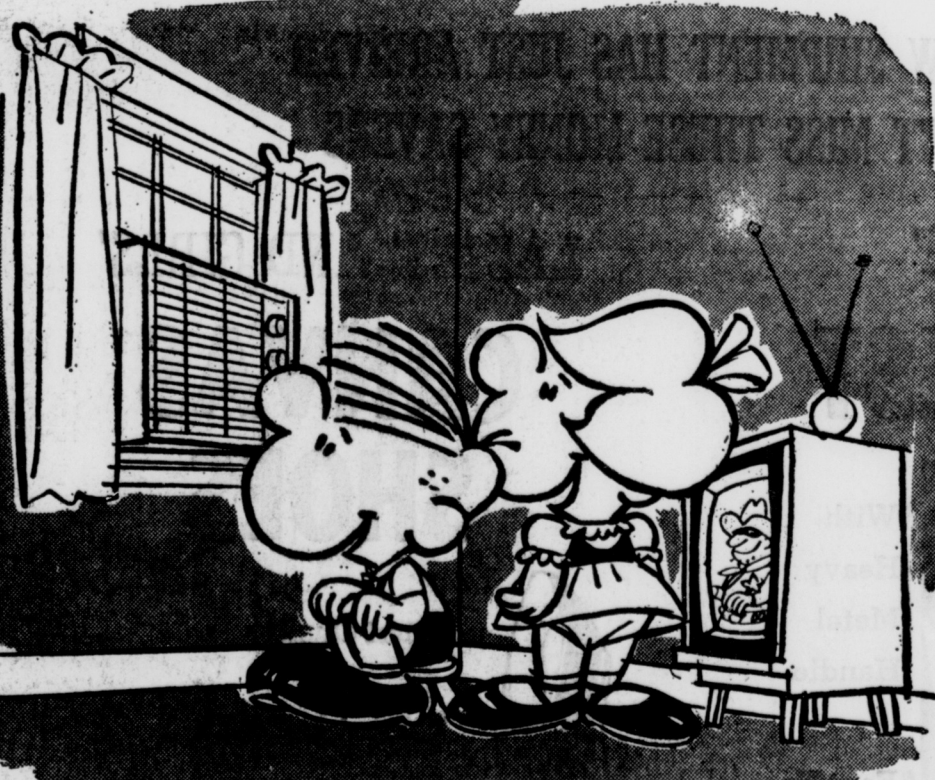
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West Liberty, Ky.



FIRE . . .

(Continued from page one)

He shouted to Mack Keeton standing inside the station to call the fire department. Two minutes later, the Elam building was engulfed in flames and smoke.

In the meantime, city hall employees, alerted by John Stevens who noted the billowing smoke at the other end of the street, sounded the fire siren in the courthouse tower. The fire truck arrived about five minutes later.

An attempt was made to surround the buildings with fire hoses. But the searing heat prevented firemen from getting near the rear of the buildings and soon all three were ablaze.

Unable to reach the flames between the buildings, West Liberty Fire Department officials turned their attention to preventing the fire from spreading. It was not until around 4:50 p.m. that firemen were confident they could contain the blaze.

No Warning

The suddenness with which the fire erupted stunned employees working in the buildings. One minute, all was serene. The next, without warning, the entire area was engulfed in roiling black smoke. Two minutes later, flames from the rear of the Elam Building had raced out the front of the structure.

Citizens recovered immediately, however, and rushed to help remove merchandise and equipment from the buildings. However, they were unable to approach the businesses in the Elam Building.

Smoke from the fire was visible for miles shortly after it erupted. For a time, the intense heat threatened to ignite houses on the north side of Prestonsburg Street and to the west across Trimble Street.

Other Fire Depts. Notified

Recognizing the danger to other Main Street buildings and nearby homes, City Councilman Graden Walter immediately telephoned the Morehead fire department for aid. At the same time, County Judge Gene Allen was placing calls for help to fire departments at Salsersville, Hazel Green, Prestonsburg, and Mt. Sterling. All responded by sending fire trucks and firemen.

Involved in this emergency was a back-up system involving several other fire departments which were alerted to stand by in case of a fire in any of the towns which had sent equipment to West Liberty.

West Liberty Fire Chief Arnold Helton had nothing but praise for the neighboring fire crews which had responded speedily and efficiently. Helton, Assistant Fire Chief Kenneth Turner and other lieutenants said they were confident they could hold the fire at the alley, but admitted it was a near thing. The fire trucks from neighboring towns were a welcome sight.

Helton had particularly high praise for the Hazel Green department whose crew sized up the situation, learned that additional hoses were needed in the rear of the burning buildings, then moved into position, looked up hoses, and went to work.

Helton also commended spectators who gathered to witness the fire. "They were courteous, stayed out of the way, and were quick to help when needed," he said.

Local Fire Dept. Commended

The West Liberty Fire Department received its highest praise from Mt. Sterling Fire Chief Manley, who has experienced two similar conflagrations in that town. Manley commended the local fire fighters on an "excellent job containing the blaze with only one fire truck."

Helton said at no time was there any danger of running out of water. He estimated that around 85,000 gallons of water were used to combat the fire and said 220,000 gallons remained in the tank immediately after the fire was contained.

Electricity was turned off over parts of West Liberty and all gas service was shut off as a result of the fire. Telephone service in the immediate area was disrupted for a time, also. Firemen who remained on duty throughout the night to keep smoldering ruins wetted down with hoses, were able to leave the scene Wednesday afternoon.

BECOMES MEMBER OF AMERICAN ANGUS ASSN.

Homer Bolin, 16, of Morgan County has been granted a junior membership in the American Angus Association at St. Joseph, Mo., announces Lloyd D. Miller, executive secretary. Junior membership entitles the member to register purebred Angus at regular membership rates and to the privileges of the Association until age 21.

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FIRE STARTED HERE — Flames were first discovered around the eaves at rear of C. C. Elam Building. Elam Utility Co. Bldg. is at left. This photo was snapped shortly after alarm was sounded, just before firemen arrived on the scene.

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Passersby run to help business people salvage equipment and stock. Marie's Tea Room is at left in Rex Theatre Building. Lykins Jewelry occupies quarters at right. Barber chair and air conditioner salvaged from Williams Barber Shop sets in street at left.

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West Liberty firemen and volunteers pour water onto Rex Theatre Building in alleyway between Main Street and Trimble Street in successful effort to prevent spread of flames to other buildings on Main Street. Battling the blaze alone with one fire engine, West Liberty firemen were forced to concentrate all hoses at this point to prevent flames from jumping the gap to Morgan Motor Building, out of the picture at left.

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POMP

By Mrs. Ben Cox

July 13 — Mrs. Phyllis Raydo, Alicia and Michael of Boldier, California. Mrs. Doris Arnold and Teresa of Dayton, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Salmons and Rusty of Indiana spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryn Perry. Another daughter, Mrs. Donald McKenzie and daughters of West Liberty, spent the day with them Saturday.

Floris and Mary Jane Cox of West Liberty and Vicki Lynn Trimble of Middletown, Ohio spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cox. They were joined in the afternoon by the children of Mrs. Billie Jean Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox and Pam for a wicker roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Collins and daughter and Mrs. Lanta Whitte of Wrigley, Miss Susan Kriel, Mae Cox of Cedarville, Ohio, and the writer and husband visited Mrs. Dima Lewis and Mrs. Frances Lewis Tuesday evening.

Mr. Dock Adkins of Columbus, Ohio spent the day Tuesday of last week with his niece, Mr. and Mrs. Byran Perry. Mr. Adkins is 95 years young.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caskey and daughter and two granddaughters of Shelby, Ohio called on Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cox and

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cox, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Glenna Turner and David of Lexington are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Cox.

Mrs. Opal Tammel and granddaughter, Terri, of Dayton, O., and Mrs. Belle Lewis of Yellow Springs, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cox and Randolph a few days last week. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. O'Rear Whitte and daughters of Lexington, Mrs. Vencil Trimble and Vicki Lynn and Joe Childers of Middletown, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Hay, Jesse Day, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox and Pam, and Mr. and Mrs. James Roy Cox and Kim.

Mrs. Buster Sheets and Tammy and Mrs. Bill Perry and Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. Byran Perry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton and daughter have moved from the tenant house of Ben Cox to Ditton Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cox called on Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Caskey and family, Sunday.

Randolph Cox called on the writer and husband Sunday morning.

Two Former Magoffin Men Reported Missing In West Coast Waters

SALYERSVILLE, Ky. — Two former Magoffin men listed as Lucian Stacy and Bob Hurt have been reported missing at sea on a private fishing vessel off the coast of Southern California.

The two have reportedly been missing since the last of May after last seen leaving for a deep-sea fishing trip.

According to local relatives, an all-out search has been conducted several times within the past month, but no evidence has been found. Authorities have indicated the two possibly drowned after their boat wrecked. However evidence of wreckage is yet to be found.

Stacy is married to the former Kathleen Arnett and Hurt is married to the former Mary Arnett, both women are daughters of Mrs. Moat Arnett of Ivyton.

"Mosquitoes are attracted to people who use highly-perfumed tonics and lotions." It is advisable for people in areas infested by mosquitoes to be content with smelling like people.

HEAT MELTS SIGN ACROSS STREET

Temperature was around 92 degrees Tuesday afternoon when fire started in the C. C. Elam building on Main street and spread to buildings on either side, the Elam Utility Co. building and the Rex Theatre building.

And the heat became so intense in a short while that it melted some letters of the large "ASHLAND" sign on Collin's Ashland Oil Service Station across Prestonsburg street, also melted the glass out of a large street sign at the service station.

And westward, across Trimble street, heat from the burning buildings melted plastic curtains in the two-story frame apartment building owned by Mrs. Justine Hall. Close watch was kept on the Hall frame building. Once a small fire started in the upstairs but was quickly extinguished.

The C. C. Elam building, where the fire started, was constructed almost entirely of wood, a two story structure facing 85 feet on Main street and extending back to Trimble street a distance of 125 feet. The building had a brick front, but the remainder was built of wood, and this burned quickly, emitting billowing clouds of black smoke and intense heat.

Plumbers Of Six Counties To Meet For Ne Code Data

A meeting of all Master and Journeyman plumbers will be held at the Rowan County Health Department, West Sun Street, Morehead, Tuesday, July 21, at 7:00 p.m. Counties included are Rowan, Bath, Montgomery, Menifee, Wolfe, Morgan and Lewis.

Recent changes in State Plumbing Code will be explained and discussed. New plumbing code books will be available at this meeting.

TEST PROBES . . .

(Continued from page one) to drill one foot," said Beick Strickland, Monitor's division manager.

Strickland said Wednesday he hoped to get to the granite in another two weeks, but he said they might have to go as deep as 10,000 feet to get to it.

"We are going to the granite. Then if we don't hit any more pays, we will come back up the 4,600 foot level and work the gas we hit there," Strickland said.

The well is being drilled on the Cecil Ison farm at Stephens at the mouth of Ison Creek on Little Fork in eastern Elliott. Slim Ray of London is the drilling contractor, using a rotary rig.

Trading in leases is still lively in the area, and all the big companies are keeping scouts at the scene.

Ashland Oil, Penzoil and Shell own most of the leases in that section, though Monitor has bought several thousand acres of leases nearby in western Lawrence county.

Monitor has said it will drill a second deep-test in this area, probably in eastern Morgan.

5 Cars Of Morgan Countians On Hand To Greet Nixon

Boyd Blair, chairman of the Morgan County Republican Committee, and Mrs. Blair led a six-car delegation of Morgan countians to Louisville Tuesday to greet President Nixon when he came there to meet with the governors of the 13 states in the Appalachian region. The President was given a big ovation when his plane set down at Standiford Field, also along the parade route through downtown Louisville. About 7,500 people were on hand at the airport when Air Force One set down.

Never before have Americans had more and enjoyed it less.

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SOUTHERN STATES MEMBERSHIP MEET SET HERE TUESDAY, JULY 21

W. L. Elementary School Site Of Annual Meeting

Election of local Advisory Board, Farm Home Advisory Committee members, and operations reports will highlight the Southern States Cooperative's Annual membership meeting for the West Liberty area, on Tuesday, July 21, at West Liberty Elementary School. The meeting will be held at 8:30 p.m.

Dr. William G. Holbrook of West Liberty will serve as chairman of the local meeting. Rev. Jimmy Adkins of Lenox will give the invocation. Group singing will be led by Hager Hamilton of Elkfork.

Local operations and services will be discussed by Denzil Elliott, manager of Morgan Farmers Store, Inc.

L. L. McClure of Huntington, a member of the cooperative's regional staff, will report on the over-all Southern States operations for the fiscal year, which ends June 30.

One of the highlights of the session will be the rural youth feature. There will be a skit by members of the Lacy Creek Church of Christ and a 10-minute talk.

There will be local entertainment provided by The Elkfork Four, Jimmy Adkins, Sandra McKenzie, and Snowden Johnson.

There will be a ceremony honoring new board members at which they will receive lapel pins. Retiring board members will be presented the cooperative's Leadership Award in recognition of their services.

Nominess for the local Southern States Advisory Board for the West Liberty area, are: Virgil Cole, Ezel; Victor Conley, Florress; Randolph Frederick, White Oak; Glenn Gilliam, and Hager Hamilton, both of Route 3 West Liberty.

Ladies nominated for the Farm Home Advisory Committee

are: Mrs. E. A. Cecil, Mize; Mrs. Paul Lacy, Stacy Fork; Mrs. Jerry Murphy, Ezel, and Mrs. Bronson Phipps, Malone.

The delegate and alternate nominees in Election District 10 are: Victor Conley, Florress; Dr. William G. Holbrook, West Liberty, and Bill Frank Lacy, Stacy Fork.

The following committee chairmen will assist with the local meeting.

Attendance, telephone — Mrs. Darrell Pelfrey of West Liberty. Greeting — Victor Conley of Florress.

Ribbons — Bill Frank Lacy of Stacy Fork. Decorating — Mrs. Hazel Steele of Malone.

LAWRENCE WELK SHOW TO PLAY IN LEXINGTON

LEXINGTON, Ky. — America's "Mr. Music Maker," Lawrence Welk will bring his entire show to Memorial Coliseum in Lexington on Friday, Sept. 4, for a two-hour performance under sponsorship of the K-Men's Association. Don C. Sullivan, president of the K-Men, said Welk had agreed to visit Lexington because of his close personal relationship with Wildcat basketball coach Adolph Rupp. The K-Men Association is composed of former UK varsity lettermen whose primary objective is sponsoring academic scholarships at UK for needy but worthy students.

ASCS Chairman Calls Attention To Farm Safety Wk.

Noting that Farm Safety Week begins July 19, the chairman of the Morgan County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Committee, Ben Cox, urged farmers to use the week to check on safeguards and safety practices needed on their farms.

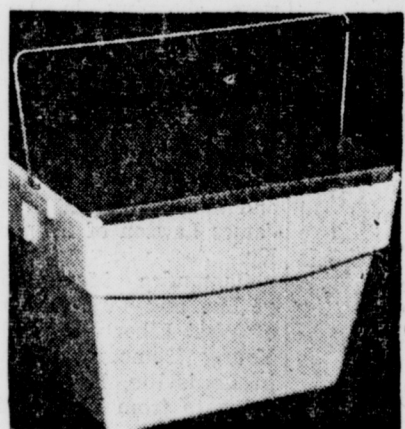
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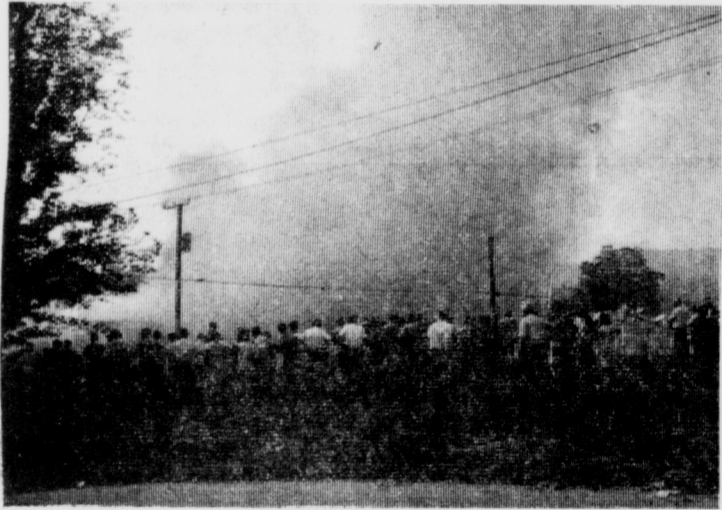
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FIRE PHOTOS



Photos above show frightening scene which greeted firemen as they arrived moments after alarm was sounded. Roiling smoke is from C. C. Elam Building where the conflagration started. The fire was first reported about 4:10 p.m. by numerous persons. Within two minutes, the Elam Building was a raging inferno.

Second here trained on the blaze was this one at rear of C. C. Elam Bldg. Fire was first discovered licking at the eaves in the upper story at left center in photo. Two minutes later the massive frame structure, which contained two businesses and storage space for another, was a raging inferno. Heat was so intense at this point that telephone poles across Prestonsburg Street, left, caught fire and lawn grass ignited. Heat blistered paint on houses and melted plastic curtains in nearby homes. Minutes after bottom photo was snapped, walls began to cave in, sending flames soaring high into the air.



In a futile effort to control flames in Elam Building, volunteers mounted hose on roof of the former Rex Theatre Building, which housed two businesses and later was gutted. Intense heat drove firemen from the roof shortly after photo was made. Bottom photo: Spectators on lot next to Commercial Bank are nearly obscured by smoke fanned toward them by brisk westerly wind.

These photos show situation on Main Street side of fire shortly after rear walls of Elam Building began to crumple. The conflagration was fanned by brisk westerly wind. Had the wind been from a northwesterly direction, particularly during the momentary confusion immediately following the alarm, many believe the entire Main Street business section would have been engulfed.

These photos show Elam Building (center in top photo) shortly before brick front began to fall. Theatre building at left in top photo, and Elam Utility Co. Building at extreme right already were ablaze at this point. In bottom photo, volunteers send stream of water into portion of Elam Building utilized by Western Auto Store as a storage space. Right side of building contained Home Supply Co.



In top photo, flames shoot skyward as front walls of Elam Building begin to fold. Bottom photo: It was here, only minutes later in an alley between old Morgan Motor Building (left) and theatre building, that firemen finally were forced to make a stand in a successful effort to prevent the flames from spreading to other buildings. With the Elam Building a blazing pile of rubble and the theatre building burning out of control, firemen concentrated all their attention to preventing the flames from jumping the gap to the Morgan Motor Building occupied by Quality Dry Cleaners. For a time it was touch and go. A shift in the wind could have brought disaster. Slit roof of theatre building and its solid brick walls slowed the flames. In the meantime, Elam Utility Building on north side of the square was gutted. Fire trucks and crews from five surrounding towns began arriving shortly after West Liberty firemen managed to contain blaze at the alley.

Top photo shows arrival of Salyersville Fire Truck which was first of five trucks from neighboring towns to answer West Liberty's call for help. West Liberty Fire Chief Arnold Halton (pointing) directs Salyersville detachment to standby position. Hazel Green Fire Department's pumper truck is shown in action on Trimble Street shortly after arriving at 5 p.m.

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UPWARD BOUND FROM MORGAN — These students from Morgan County High School are attending summer school at Morehead State University as part of Project Upward Bound. From left to right are Celia Roe, Dana Nickell, Paula Whitt, Lois Goodpastor, Cheryl Lykins, Joan Lacy and Connie Ison. Also attending is Charles Cottle, not shown.

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ENTERTAINMENT, PRIZES HIGHLIGHT TELEPHONE CO-OP'S ANNUAL MEETING

Around 400 people attended the annual meeting held by Mountain Rural Telephone Co-op Saturday night at Campton. The primary purpose of the meeting was to elect members to the Board of Trustees, and along with the election, an evening of entertainment was provided by Esko Hankins and his wife, Jackie, of Lexington, and a number of local entertainers from the co-op service area.

The present members of the Board of Trustees were re-elected and will continue to serve. They are Otto Ingram, Frenchburg, president; J. D. Gillum, Burke, vice president; John Oldfield, Jr., Ezel, treasurer; Jack Cable, Campton, secretary; Edgar Bradley, Jephtha; Jimmie Jones, Buskirk; Joe Nickell, Hazel Green; James L. Redwine, Sandy Hook; Mrs. H. B. Murray, West Liberty; Orville Birchfield, Wellington.

Mize Couple To Mark 50th Anniversary With Open House 19th

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Oldfield of Mize will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with open house at their home Sunday, July 19, from 2 until 5 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited.

REP. ARNETT SEEKS SCHOOL REINSTATEMENT

MOREHEAD, Ky.—State Representative Sherman Arnett has filed a \$100,000 damage suit in Federal Court at Catlettsburg against Rowan County Supt. Clifford R. Cassidy and the Rowan County Board of Education. He charges they demoted a school principal for his actions in this year's teachers' strike. Arnett was relieved as principal of Rowan County High and demoted to 7th grade teacher with a \$3,000 reduction in salary.

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Morgan County Peace Corpsman Returning To Iran

Darryl Spencer Has Been With Corps Three Years

By GEORGE WOLFORD
Ashland Independent

In these helter-skelter, hustle-bustle days, a lot of us hanker for simpler times, when a man meant more; where the pace was slower, where machines and technology had not become all-involving.

A young West Liberty man feels he has found this slower gear in today's life in the country of Iran. And he means to keep on living that pace, at least for a while.

Darryl Spencer, son of Dr. and Mrs. Alice Spencer, this week wraps up a month's stay in the United States. It follows three years in Iran with the Peace Corps and he has contracted to return to that country next week as a teacher in the University of Mashhad.

His initial pair of years were spent at Fasa, in the south, and last year he taught at Bidkhti, in the far northeast. In each instance, and next year, too, English is his subject.

"This country has long made English a requirement in grades 7-12," he said, and now they are emphasizing the language at higher levels. One entire university there has now been made all English. It is now becoming the country's second language, as far as schools are concerned, and has practically edged aside French.

But the major question with a youth like Darryl Spencer is Why? He has an answer.

"Iran has a society, except for the capital of Tehran, which is pre-20th century — very much like the 19th century in our

country, except they have no modern improvements. For example, there is no television, no influential newspaper, influential network, or even national ruler. It is a society founded almost completely on human relationships, and I am returning to Iran because I want to live in a society like that."

He stresses the indefiniteness of his planning. "My contract is for 1 year, with the university and includes air transportation from here to Iran and back. Still, since this is my fourth year, I don't know whether I'll ever come back to here or not. I don't want to commit myself past one year."

Darryl is a 1960 graduate of Morgan County High School, of Transylvania, and holds a masters from Georgetown University in Washington, D. C. He launched on the sea of international hope because a great man of this century asked him to.

"I stood on the White House lawn during the summer of 1963 with a large group of young people and heard President John Kennedy ask young people to join his Peace Corps."

The young Morgan Countyman moved around in Washington both as a student and a summer employee of the District of Columbia government. His training in college was in international relations, but I mingled enough socially with the embassy people to know I couldn't have gone into foreign service."

He credits the cram course given in ten weeks by the Peace Corps for his success — or satisfaction and satisfactory performance — in Iran. "College and graduate school contributed little to what I am doing now. My training in the

Peace Corps was invaluable, both in learning to speak Iranian and in developing techniques of language teaching, such as I now use."

Students in Iran differ from those of the U. S., he quickly points out. "Students there are very respectful of teachers... very attentive in class... very friendly people, but a student never become the equal of his teacher."

He lives alone. "There are no other Americans in town, although there were some who lived six miles away, and we visited a lot because they were exceptional people. The Corps intends for its volunteers to live with Iranian people, learning the language, and I had my own house for three years. More than anything else, he missed music, but I expect to have access to a piano this year, and I do have a recorder and tapes."

"I have a friend who has been there for 14 years. Among Americans, only Jews and Southerners seem to get along, for they have similar, close-family backgrounds to Iranians. Big city people from the U. S. do have problems. The homes are large with three generations usually living together, and the people are famous for hospitality."

Does he hope to help change, or improve the country, to impress American methods and standards? "No. We're not there to make significant changes. After all, we're a country 400 years old and theirs is over 6,000. Most of the Peace Corps people there are not of typical American image. They are anti-militaristic, anti-imperialistic. The fact we're teaching them English doesn't mean we have to teach them anything else."

THOUGH ILL, ELDER W. G. RATLIFF TAKES PART IN COMMUNION MEETING



START OF FOOTWASHING AND COMMUNION SERVICE at the Old South Fork Primitive Baptist Church at Malone is shown in this photo. About 65 members took part.



BASKET DINNER is served from tables near the church during the footwashing and communion service at Old South Fork Church.



ELDER W. G. RATLIFF (center) is shown here with relatives during the footwashing and communion meeting. Left to right, Mrs. Haden Ratliff, Haden Ratliff, Elder W. G. Ratliff and wife, Edna, Mrs. Curt Ratliff, and Hager Arnett, a brother-in-law of Elder Ratliff. Mr. Arnett's wife was ill in a hospital at the time.

Elder W. G. Ratliff, retired banker who has been confined to his home by illness for several weeks, took an active part in the annual communion and foot-washing meeting last weekend at Old South Fork Church of the Burning Springs Association of Primitive Baptists.

About 65 took part in the foot-washing and communion services, an annual rite at the South Fork Church at Malone.

A bountiful basket dinner was served from tables near the church with some 150 people in attendance.

Elder Ratliff, was executive vice president of the Commercial Bank in West Liberty, until a few months ago when he retired because of ill health. He has long been an elder in the Primitive Baptist Church and has preached over a wide area

and had served as an officer in the Burning Springs Association.

He and Mrs. Ratliff were brought from their home to the church by his physician, Dr. Alec Spencer, and Mrs. Spencer.

The foot-washing and communion service was opened by Walton Jones, Clerk of the Burning Springs Association. Elder Raymond Kennard of Indiana, and Elder Bruce Gullett of Waverly, Ohio.

South Fork Church was organized in 1808 by Elder Daniel Williams, and Burning Springs Association was formed in 1813 with Elder Williams as its first moderator.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS ELECT AREA PEOPLE TO STATEWIDE OFFICES

Herbert L. Wells Is Vice President; Keck Is Dist. Head

Herbert Lawrence Wells of West Liberty and Ron Lowe of Ashland were elected vice-presidents of the Kentucky Young Democrats at the concluding session Saturday of the three-day Young Democrats convention in Louisville.

Jody Richards, a Bowling Green businessman and former journalism professor at Western Kentucky University, was elected president to succeed Don Mills, editor of the Lexington Herald, who has served the past year. Some 440 delegates from across the state attended.

Jack Keck of Sandy Hook was elected 7th District chairman, and Mrs. Patricia Bailey of Salyersville was elected district chairwoman. Mrs. Gary Cox of Morehead is district secretary.

Delegates from Morgan county included Walter Blewins, Jr., and Judge Bailey Allen. Miss Cassandra May of West Liberty was a delegate from Morehead University.

The Young Democrats enacted a set of resolutions that

call for a severance tax of up to 20 cents a ton on strip-mined coal, adoption by the legislature of an abortion law similar to the New York law, and a censor of Vice President Agnew for "his divisive comments."

The convention, also without dissent approved resolutions:

Urging Gov. Nunn to include a proposed salary increase for teachers in his forthcoming call of a special session of the legislature.

Supporting enactment of a "strict financial disclosure law" for public officials.

Calling for ROTC to be elective, rather than compulsory, as state universities which have the officer-training program.

The Young Democrats voted down two proposed resolutions — one that sought to criticize Gov. Nunn's call-out of the National Guard at the University of Kentucky disturbances in May, and another that asked that the United States declare an immediate cease-fire in the Indochina fighting and withdraw all troops within three months. Both proposals evoked considerable debate, but were voted down by voice vote.

Writers' Workshop At Pike College

Appalachian Studies Center of Pikeville College is sponsoring a writers' workshop July 19-25, and the regular staff includes these well-known writers of Appalachian subjects—Hollis Summers, James Still, Harriet Simpson Arnew and David Maden. Each has had one or more books published this year. The college awards 3 hours college credit in English 401 to those taking the training.

MRS. PEOPLES, 44, DIES IN TEXAS

Jean R. Peoples, 44, of Houston, Texas died July 1 in Methodist Hospital there. She was a granddaughter of the late L. B. Reed and a niece of Joe F. Reed of Ceredo, W. Va., and Lenora R. Hendrix of Reading, Ohio, and had many relatives and friends in Kentucky.

A resident of Houston for eight years, she was a secretary at the NASA Manned Spacecraft Center, a charter member of Chapter 260 Order of Eastern Star at Lake Placid, Fla., a charter member of NASA Clear Lake Chapter National Secretaries Assn., International, a member of Artis-Anns of Arabia Temple, and the Presbyterian Church. She was a native of Ashland, Ky.

Survivors include her husband, Lloyd M. Peoples of Houston; a daughter, Miss B. J. Peoples, a senior at the University of Texas; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce F. Reed of Lake Placid, Fla.

Funeral was conducted at Erthman Funeral Home in Houston Friday, July 3, with Rev. William Harding officiating. Cremation followed. In lieu of flowers, it was requested that contributions be made to the Montague Lane Cancer Research Fund, Baylor College of Medicine, Texas Medical Center, Houston, Texas.

SALES REPORT

Farmers Stock Yards FLEMINGSBURG, KY.

July 11 — HOGS — Receipts 251 — Packers 25.35, Sows 17.75 to 18.75, Sows and Pigs 78 to 129, Shoats 11 to 27 per hd.

CATTLE — Receipts 582 — Steers 24 to 31.75, Heifers 23 to 29.75, Baby Beves 24 to 34.75, Cutter Cows 14 to 20.40, Fat Cows 21 to 23.80, Springers, Fresh Cows 149 to 270, Bulls 23 to 27.80, Stock Steers 24 to 33.25, Stock Heifers 23 to 31.50, Cows and Calves 184 to 289, Stock Bulls 140 to 260, Stockers 62 to 134.

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TOTAL Receipts 1073.

Remarks: First Feeder Cattle Sale Tuesday August 25.

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Injured In Auto Mishap Saturday

Cletis Lavonne McCarty, 36, of Cannel City was injured when his car overturned on KY-191 near Caney about 10 a.m. Saturday.

McCarty suffered a broken elbow and cuts and abrasions. He was taken by Morgan Ambulance Service to St. Claire Medical Center, Morehead, where he underwent surgery on his elbow, and was released the same day.

The car, a 1963 Chevrolet, was badly damaged.

MRS. SARGENT, 88, MORGAN NATIVE, DIES IN ROWAN

Mrs. Ritta Frances Sargent, 88, Clearfield, died Saturday, July 11, at St. Claire Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born Sept. 22, 1881, in Morgan County, she was a daughter of the late William and Sabrina Bryant Barnett. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dart Sargent.

Survivors include three sons, Autie Sargent of West Liberty, Porter Sargent of St. Augustine, Fla., and Paul Sargent of Hamlin, W. Va.; eight daughters, Mrs. Calva Earls of Franklin, Ind., Mrs. Connie Bishop of West Liberty, Mrs. Juanita Lewis of Hillsboro, and Mrs. Nelva Sargent, Mrs. Opal Miller, Mrs. Dedie Hardin, Mrs. Linda Lewis and Mrs. Nannie Phillips, all of Clearfield; a brother, Jesse Barnett of Clearfield, and 50 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Clearfield Tabernacle by Rev. Scott Griffith.

VICTOR DAVIS, WEST LIBERTY NATIVE, PASSES

Victor Davis, 43, of LaGrange, Ind. died Friday, June 26, in the McCray Memorial Hospital there where he had been a patient four days. A Morgan County native, he had been in ill health for five days.

He was born at West Liberty Dec. 28, 1926, and was a son of Andrew and Frances Callahan Davis, who now reside at Stroh, Ind.

Mr. Davis was married in Brimfield, Ind. Aug. 20, 1950, to Dorena Mynhier, who survives.

Also surviving are five daughters, DuAnn, Laureen, Tamra, Rebecca, Sheryl, and two sons, Thomas and James, all at home four brothers, Willis and Samuel Davis of LaGrange, Paul of Indianapolis, Ind., and William Davis of Texas, and three sisters, Mrs. Gloyd Dearth of Marion, Ohio, Mrs. Carl Perkins of LaGrange, and Mrs. Floyd Dubson of Farmer City, Ill.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 29, at 2 p.m. in LaGrange with Rev. William Chowning officiating. Burial was in the Brushy Prairie Cemetery.

Kentucky was one of the first states to establish a laboratory for standards of weights and measures to check the accuracy of commercial equipment.

GRASSY CREEK

By LaNetta Scott
Phone 743-3940

July 14 — Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stacy of Virginia spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barker and sons of Grassy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Armstrong, Ralph and Dana and Hank and Nelson Peyton spent Friday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Armstrong and Ruthrene of Cortland, Ohio.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ova Poe of Buskirk on the arrival of a daughter, born June 19 at Maddox Clinic, Campton. She weighed 7 lbs., 3 ozs. and has been named Janice Faye. The Poes have a son, Ova Dean, age 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunderlich and Bobby of South Bend, Indiana, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tarter, Brenda and Jerry of Middletown spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chaney. They were joined Saturday night and Sunday by Pam Haney and girlfriend of Moscow, Ohio, and Barbara Carr of Felicity, Ohio.

Richard Stacy of Lexington spent the weekend with Mrs. Malva Stacy and Frank Peyton.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phipps and family over the weekend were Elza May of Trenton, Ohio, Hager May of Dayton, Abner May and son of McCutthinsville, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Elza Phipps and daughter of Miamisburg. Jimmy Scott spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hager and family of Lexington.

Marvin, Edwina, and Teresa Nickell spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Nickell of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Stacy of Dayton were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mort Peyton.

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Roger Barker was the Sunday night guest of Greg and Johnny Barker.

We extend heart-felt sympathy to the families of Ezra Manning, Letha Davidson, Wayne Ferguson, Henry H. Carter, R. M. Pack and Linda Gilliam.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barker and sons visited Mrs. Jerry Stacy in Magoffin County Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Combs, Judy, Joyce, and Debby of Dayton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Wilson. They were joined on Sunday by Mrs. Hosea Banks and Mrs. Miles Banks of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Brown and Tammy Wilson of Hazel Green.

Congratulations to Peggy Phipps and Thomas Chris Plyman, who were married recently. Peggy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Phipps of Cannel City.

Those visiting Mrs. Ora Lee Nickell over the weekend were Mrs. Avinell Taulbee of Florida, Mrs. O. P. Evans and family of Ezel, Mrs. Larry Miller of Richmond, and Elaine Wilson of Cloumou.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Honn of West Liberty and Rolan Peyton of Winchester were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Malva Stacy and Frank Peyton. Rolan also called on Mr. and Mrs. Billy Peyton and Mrs. Lillie Peyton.

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Everett Havens and Tammy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodpaster, Justin Whitt and Mrs. Elizabeth Lacy.

Mrs. Helen Blanton of Crittenden spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mort Walter. Mr. Walter and Avinell returned home with Mrs. Blanton for a week's visit.

Tammy Havens of West Liberty was the Thursday guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Elsie Lacy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunderman and Mary Lou of Ohio was the recent supper guests of Mrs. Lula Stacy and family.

Paul Walter of MSU spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walter. Those spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Braddom, Pam and Debby, and Mrs. Bill Farrell of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ross and family of Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Ross and family of Everett, Ky.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Brown of Greear were the Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mort Walter.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Raney last week were Hanners Raney and Mrs. Mary Sons and daughters of Frenchburg, Mrs. Hughes of Ohio, J. C. Raney of Indiana, M. C. Haney of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Raney of Ohio, Mrs. Virginia Swango and Mrs. Thelma Murphy of Pomroyton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert King and Mrs. Nettie Wilson spent the weekend with Grayling Wilson at Ft. Knox.

Mrs. Emma Wilson entered the Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, Monday for surgery. We wish Mrs. Wilson a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Gevedon and Lendeau and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gevedon, Gloria and Elaine vacationed at Virginia Beach, Va., and the Blue Ridge Mountain Parkway and returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wilson and Tammy of Morehead were the Friday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Wilson. Charlotte Elam returned home Monday after spending three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Poe of Lebanon, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chaney and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Chaney and family are vacationing in the Smokies.

Doyal Wilson was the Saturday night guest of Phillip Phipps.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wilson were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson of Adele.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Kilgore and Kim of Dayton visited Mr. and Mrs. Mort Peyton Saturday night.

Dana Vellene Nickell of MSU spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lavell Nickell. They were joined Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Ken Helton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Osborne of Payton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kidd and Ralphie of Lebanon, Ohio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elam.

Georgia Castle of Middletown spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. Mandie Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Amyx returned home recently after spending three weeks in Ft. Myers, Florida. While there the Amyxes purchased a new mobile home.

Mrs. Esther Barker of Franklin, Ohio spent Monday to Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Bradley and daughter of Williams Creek visited while Saturday morning with Rev and Mrs. Arlie Nickell.

Rue Williams went back to Morehead last Tuesday for a checkup with her doctor.

Sgt. and Mrs. Ruby Lemaster and children, who have been in Germany the past four years, are here for a visit with Dora Easterling, and the Lemaster family. Sgt. Lemaster will be stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Coffee and daughter of Ezel, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Prater and family of Springfield, Ohio, Geraldine Coffee of Elamton, visited recently with the Omer Coffee family.

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Victor Elam and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Poe, Dean and Janice, and Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Barker and Rose were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Perry, Jr., of Twenty six.

Kay and Betty Nickell of Grassy spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Osborn of Payton. They were joined Sunday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Lavell Nickell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elam are on an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Poe of Lebanon, Ohio.

Lenville Peyton of Centerville called on Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Barker and family Saturday evening.

Donald and Lynn Phipps of Cannel City were the Saturday night guests of Delbert Phipps.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker and sons were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Evans of Licking River. Get well wishes to Chalmers Stacy, Ella Mae Armstrong, Thelma Cox and Mrs. Emma Wilson.

FLORRESS

July 13 — Mary Etta Jones of Richmond visited recently with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Center and children of Camargo and Mary Sue Center of Middletown, Ohio spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haney. Other visitors Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Matt Elam of Lebanon, Ohio, Pam Stapleton of Index, Loretta Easterling and Brenda Aggie of Xenia, Ohio, and Eddie Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Elam of Lebanon, Ohio visited while Saturday with Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Nickell.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. E. Wright and son of Dingus attended church Sunday at the Lacy Creek Baptist Church and ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Williams.

Sunday dinner guests of Ruie Williams and Reb McClure were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Winford Kennard and Earl, and Flen Kennard, all of Route 2 Saleysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Johnson visited in Ohio over the weekend.

Darrell Nickell and son of Pricey visited Friday with Reb McClure and Ruie Williams.

Reb McClure and Manfred Williams attended the livestock market Saturday at Paintsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Nickell and family of Lebanon, Ohio visited over the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey, Rev. Walter Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haney attended the Masonic rites last Wednesday for Ram Pack at the home at Route 2 Saleysville. Those attending the funeral Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Claude McGuire, Rev. Arlie Nickell, and Ova Pelfrey.

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Juanita Bononno visited a few minutes Wednesday morning with Essie Conley and children.

Billy Conley spent last week visiting with his parents and others here. He returned Monday to his job in Ashland.

Deborah Conley left Monday to spend the summer in Lebanon, Ohio with Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson and children.

Charles Ray Johnson spent Sunday night with his cousins, the Conley children.

Those attending Lodge Saturday night at Elkfork were Rev. Walter Johnson, Douglas Lemaster, Don Carl Lemaster, and Buford Pack.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennel Lewis were visitors last Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Conley at West Liberty.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams were Lynda Gail Hart and Brian, Mrs. Lella France and Florence, Mrs. Maude Easterling, Mrs. Robert Welch of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Easterling, Terri and David, of Charlotte, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Kennel Lewis, Buster Lemaster, and Eddie Conley.

Lori Williams of Dayton, Ohio is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Kennel Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Coffee of Route 2 Saleysville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams of Dayton, Ohio visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tyree and two sons of Middletown, Ohio visited their aunt, Miranda Easterling, Saturday. Other visitors in the home were Gerald Tyree and his mother, Mamie, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sollenberger and two children of Verona, Ohio, Shirley Morris and daughter, Agnes Holbrook and children, and Jean Elam and grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Conley of Verona, Ohio spent their vacation in Morgan County. They spent Wednesday night with his brother, Victor Conley.

Amos Conley set a birthday dinner Sunday for his daughter Mrs. Wm. Holbrook. Guests besides the Holbrook family were Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Adkins and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Frederick of Morris, Illinois, along with the others of the Frederick family, were called home to the bedside of their mother last week. Malcolm and Myrtle were guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. Anos Conley.

LICKING RIVER

By Pearl Lewis

July 14 — Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lykins were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Montgomery and children of Middletown, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Farmer Howard and daughters of Saleysville, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman France of White Oak.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Evans were Mr. and Mrs. Al Bradley and children of Louisville. They went to Jenny Wiley Park Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wells and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Littler Sunday. It was Mr. Littler's birthday.

Mrs. Edna Stout of Lexington, who had been visiting Mrs. Rhoda May and sons the past week, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Eva Napier of Lexington and sons visited the Mays on the weekend.

Monday guests of the writer and Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Allen were Mr. and Mrs. Roy May of Xenia, Ohio. They are visiting their many friends and relatives in Morgan County during their vacation. They are former Morgan Countians. We sure were glad to see them.

The writer and Mrs. G. C. Allen visited Mrs. Rhoda May Saturday afternoon. They, with Mrs. Mary and Mrs. Edna Stout, visited Mrs. Mollie Henry and Fowell. Mrs. Joyce Moyer of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., and Rev. and Mrs. Earl Morris of Las Cruces, New Mexico spent the afternoon together. Mrs. Wells spent the winter with Joyce in Ft. Lauderdale. Rev. and Mrs. Morris will spend some time with Mrs. Henry and Powell.

Mrs. Frances Fugate spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Collinsworth at West Liberty.

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Mr. Richard Torresson of Sougeties New York was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potter and family from Wednesday until Sunday of last week. They were army buddies and hadn't seen each other for 25 years. It was his first visit to Kentucky, he is interested in horses as he has a horse farm in New York. Saturday, July 4, they visited many fine horse farms in and around Lexington, Ky. He was very much impressed about the fine farms in the Blue Grass. They also visited the Grayson Lake and many more interesting places in Ky.

Mrs. Thelma McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Day spent the 4th of July weekend in Ohio and attended the Williams Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy at White Oak, entertained 35 guests at their Mobile Home with a Stanley Party Saturday night, the party was held on the lawn. Those attending from West Liberty, Ky. were Mrs. Clyde Cantrell and Crickett and Mrs. Chas. Holbrook. Games were played and delicious refreshments served.

Mrs. Clyde Cantrell, Crickett and Sherry, Mrs. Gerald Goodpaster, Mrs. Junior Adkins and Keith and Mrs. Jimmy Cantrell were shopping in Ashland, Sunday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lewis, who was quietly married Saturday at noon at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barker at West Liberty, by Rev. Arlie Nickell. They are at their home at Delaware, Ohio where Larry is employed with the Bonded Oil Co.

Bennie Cantrell of Jackson, Ohio spent the weekend here with his cousin Clyde Cantrell and visited his mother Mrs. Mary Smith at the Allen Rest Home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cantrell, Crickett and Sherry visited with Claude Rowland on Paint Creek on Friday evening.

EZEL

BY ROSE HENRY

July 6 — Mrs. Paul Cassity and son, Eric, of Houston, Texas are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cassity of Crockett, Company business sends Paul, a geologist with the Texas Gulf Sulphur Company, to the African County of Senegal this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carr, Mrs. Paul Cassity and Eric enjoyed a July Fourth cook-out at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Henry and Bill at Pine Ridge. Others attending were Miss Susan Lacy of Grassy Creek and Johnny Henry of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Linkous and children Damon, Carla, Valeria, and Amy, visited to their grandfather, Nathan Salyer, and Mrs. Salyer on Monday. Warrant Officer Linkous is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Linkous of Dayton, Ohio and is enroute from the San Diego Naval Station to a new assignment in Memphis, Tenn. They are visiting Mrs. Linkous' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reynolds, in Mt. Sterling. Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Salyer were Mrs. Mildred Horbert of Dayton, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Salyer and daughter, Suzanna, of Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Rev. and Mrs. Tib Gillespie and Lyle of Virginia Beach, Va., were visiting Mrs. Floyd Gillespie and Eula and Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Ross and family Sunday night and Monday morning. The Tib Gillespie family will be visiting in St. Louis, Mo., with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gillespie and in Ashland, Ky., with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gillespie and other relatives before returning to their home in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Patrick of Mountain View, Mo., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Asa White Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patrick and Jennifer of Franklin, Ohio were visiting the White Patricks over the weekend.

Miss Jeannette Carr of Cincinnati visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carr and Mrs. Paul Cassity and Eric Thursday till Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Solt of Carroll, Ohio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eli McGuire, and the McGuires went home with the Solt and spent a few days. The McGuires and the Solt visited Mr. and Mrs. Garret McGuire of Hillsdale,

Mich, and the Eli McGuires visited Mr. and Mrs. James Ray McGuire and family of Franklin, Ohio and other relatives in Middletown. The Eli McGuires returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ratliff. The Darrell Ratliffs of Centerville, Ohio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edison Ratliff and family over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ratliff and daughter of Lewisburg, Ohio were visiting the Ratliffs during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tuner of Louisville were visiting the Eli McGuires during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie McGuire and family have moved from West Liberty to West Alexandria, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Conte of Richmond were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Helton Tuesday night.

Miss Cheryl Ross of Middletown, Ohio is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Ross.

Mrs. John Rose is visiting in Knoxville, Tenn., with Mr. and Mrs. Simie Saunders and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peyton and family of Lexington were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ward and Donnie over the weekend.

Ricky and Nicky Wilson of Middletown, Ohio visited with Johnny Rose a few days last week.

Mrs. Carl Helton and Mrs. Denzil Helton were shopping in Lexington last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ferguson visited in Cincinnati over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Calwell of Middletown, Ohio were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Patrick and Terry and Sonda Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Coffey during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eagle, formerly of Cincinnati, have moved to St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Madlene McKean of Louisville spent a few days at the home here last week.

Mrs. Sara Carr of Morehead was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carr one night last week.

A large crowd attended the Brotherhood Supper at the Presbyterian Church. Remember the next supper will be the first Friday in August.

PAINTSVILLE WORKERS VOTE DOWN UNION

PAINTSVILLE, KY. — Employees of the new American Standard Manufacturing Co. plant near here voted against union membership at an LRB election last week. All but one of the 125 employees cast ballots. Five were cast for United Rubber Workers and 46 for United Steel Workers and 80 voted against union connections of any kind. American Standard's plant is located at the former Kenwood site, and recently began shipping plumbing fixtures.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Sherl Adkins of West Liberty announce the birth of a son Tuesday, July 7, at Spencer Clinic. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce, and has been named Martie Gwynn. The Adkins have a daughter, Sheryl Renee, three-year old. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Margarette Peyton of Route 1, West Liberty and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Julie Adkins of Lenox.

The Old Tunnel Mill, near Dwarf, still grinds mountain corn.

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WHITE OAK

By Mrs. James Lacy

July 6 — Mr. and Mrs. Russell O'Hara of Middletown, Ohio visited her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy, and Cletis Potter one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy spent one night recently with Mr. and Mrs. Mort Carpenter and family.

Mrs. Mort Carpenter, Reed, Bruce, and Diane visited her mother, Mrs. Cora Lacy, and Mrs. Vivian Stewart and George recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnett and Monica of Foraker visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adams and Mrs. Christine Adams visited your writer recently.

Danny Bill Allen, who is attending summer school at Morehead, spent a recent weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hallard Allen and family.

Your writer visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen one evening recently. Mr. Allen remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Salyers and family of Cincinnati who have been on vacation in Kansas, spent a recent weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Carpenter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arna Salyers, and Mrs. Billie Boone and family. Mrs. Boone and family returned to Ohio with them to spend a week.

Mike Litteral, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey Litteral, and Kay Tandy, daughter of Mrs. Tandy of West Liberty, were married recently.

Diana Potter spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Collins, Jr. of Lacy Creek.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy and Cletis Potter were Miss Diana Jo Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kennard and Beverly of Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnett and Monica of Foraker, and Mrs. Linda Collins and Reed Carpenter.

Reed Carpenter visited his grandmother, Mrs. Cora Lacy, and Mrs. Vivian Stewart and George Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. Nannie Burgett over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Vance and family and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Casebolt and family of Ohio, and your writer.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bailey are spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Cassie Bailey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter and family of Cincinnati are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Carpenter and family and Mrs. Cassie Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Howard and family of Cincinnati are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helton and family and Mrs. Murt Howard.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mort Carpenter and family Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy and Mrs. Vivian Stewart and George.

Mrs. Vivian Stewart celebrated her birthday July 4th.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown and Jeff were Barrington Brown, Artie Brown of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Larsten Brown and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Addison Brown and family of Dayton, Ohio.

Visiting your writer Sunday were Mrs. Johnny Potter and daughters of Dayton, Ohio and Mrs. Tommie Potter and son of Hazel Green, and Jeff Brown.

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PARK HILL

By Cassie Lewis

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Basnight of Wickenburg, Arizona are visiting her sister, Mrs. Wanda Blankenship of Redwine, this week.

Mrs. Nora Basnight, Mrs. Wanda Blankenship, and their mother, Mrs. Vivia Roberts of California, visited here Sunday afternoon with Frances and Willie Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caskey and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pettit and three children of Shelby, Ohio spent the past weekend here visiting friends and relatives in and around West Liberty, and were guests at Stamper Motel.

Mr. and Mrs. Caskey are former Morgan Countians Mrs. Caskey is the former Miss Grace Lewis and a former Morgan County school teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson of Xenia, Ohio, spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis. The Hutchinsons reported they had former Morgan County guests with them last Tuesday: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Childers of Louisville.

Children (nee Miss Eunice Taulbee), a former Morgan County school teacher, and Mrs. Glen Patton (nee Bertha Patrick) of Dayton, Ohio.

Other recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis were Mrs. Grace Caskey and Mrs. Jean Pettit of Shelby, Ohio. Rev. and Mrs. Lancelott Fannin of Sandy Hook, Ky., and Drexel Nickell of West Liberty were also recent guests.

Mrs. Janet Hutchinson and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis visited the Pleasant Run Cemetery Saturday afternoon, also their farm there and were calling on Mrs. Ella Howard. Elmer also visited with Russell Lewis.

Recent guests of Mary Engle and Lorraine Hurley were Mrs. Doshia Watson and children and grandchildren of Newburg, Ind. C. B. Engle of Xenia, Ohio, Mrs. Grace Caskey and Jean Pettit of Shelby, Ohio, and Mrs. Elmer Lewis of West Liberty.

WEST LIBERTY ROUTE 1

BY JULIA MAYABB

July 6 — Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mayabb were visiting in Hazel Green Sunday afternoon with his daughter, Bertha Mayabb.

Rollie Carpenter of this place remains in the Morehead Hospital very sick. His neighbors wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Ollie McGuire is slowly improving from a recent illness.

Joe Mayabb and Willie Kemplin were in West Liberty on business Monday.

Newport was founded in 1790 by Hubbard Taylor, a soldier who came with Kentucky troops to join St. Clair at Fort Washington.

PRATER RIDGE

BY ELSIE RICHARD

July 13 — Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Mays was involved in a car wreck on Whites Branch when their pick up truck collided with a car driven by a Smallwood boy of Menifee County. Mrs. Mays received a cut on her knee, but no one was seriously injured. Both the car and truck were badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morrison and Becky of Johnson City, Tenn., are visiting relatives here and doing some work on their farms.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Sexton of Middletown, Ohio flew to California Wednesday to attend the funeral of his brother. Their children, Ben, Beth, and Faith, spent the week with their grandparents, the Arnold Richards.

Also visiting the Richards were Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery of Middletown, Ohio.

Mrs. Ollie Williams gave birth to twin boys at Mary Chiles Hospital Wednesday. Both of the little boys were dead at birth and were buried Sunday at the Johnson Cemetery here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Isaac and daughter of Louisville visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Isaac.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barker and Pauline Spencer of Dayton, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson of Illinois, and Seiler Sheets of Woodsbend visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Goodpaster.

The Rudd Reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wannie Rudd of Stacy Fork. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rudd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lykins, Mr. and Mrs. David Tackett, Mike, Willie, and Rickey Rudd all of Verona, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. John Fuss and daughter of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Rudd and girls of Batavia, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dye and family of Morning View, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tipton and family of Camden, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Early Holbrook and Virgil of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Wess Rudd of Bays, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Lovely of Deniston, and Mrs. Bertha Griffin of Cincinnati. A delicious dinner was served and everyone enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sexton had a surprise Sunday, July 5, when their daughters from Middletown, Ohio came in with a large birthday cake, honoring both their birthdays. The cake was baked in the bake shop and decorated by one of their neighbors, Kay Early, who is an expert on decoration. Kay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Richard of Korea. A delicious dinner was prepared and served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Hale and child-

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YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

Social security is for younger families and workers too, according to Thomas B. Thompson, manager of the Ashland district social security office.

Thompson stated that a recent survey disclosed that approximately 69% of younger workers surveyed looked on social security primarily as a program for older people, and were not aware that they had a current protection under the program too in case of their disability or death.

"It often happens that in the case of the death of a younger worker his social security is the most valuable single asset that he leaves his family," Thompson stated. He went on to point out that in case of death, survivors benefits for a widow and two children range from a minimum of \$96 a month to about \$434 a month, with an average of about \$292 per month.

"This can add up to a lot of money, particularly if the children are quite young," Thompson stated. He went on to state that some 3 million surviving children and widowed mothers get social security each month.

Thompson stressed further that if the worker becomes disabled social security can help provide support for both the worker and his family, with benefits ranging from a minimum of \$96 a month to a maximum of \$434 a month, with an average of about \$273 a month.

"Some 2 1/2 million disabled workers and their dependents receive benefits each month," Thompson stated.

Census Bureau Will Conduct Employment Survey In This Area

The Bureau of the Census will conduct a survey of employment and unemployment in this area during the week of July 19. The households to be interviewed here are part of a scientifically designed sample that is representative of the entire U. S. population.

Facts supplied by individuals participating in the survey are kept confidential and the results are used only to compile statistical results.

Mrs. Wilma L. Taulbee of Malone will interview households in this area.

The site of the first oil well in the United States is near Burkesville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lee Gevedon

Miss Deborah E. Lykins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buford A. Lykins of Cannel City, and Michael Lee Gevedon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gevedon of Grassy Creek, were married at the home of the groom's parents Thursday, June 25. Rev. Glenn Lawson performed the double-ring ceremony in the presence of 35 close friends and relatives.

For her wedding, the bride wore a white street-length dress with a corsage of red rosebuds.

Mrs. Marcus Gevedon, Jr., served her sister as matron of honor and was attired in a pink street-length dress with a corsage of white carnations.

Marcus Gevedon, Jr., was best man.

A reception followed the ceremony.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gevedon are 1970 graduates of Morgan County High School. They are at home at Grassy Creek where Mr. Gevedon is farming this year.

Rose Reunion Set At Old Grassy Ch. Sunday, July 19

The family of James Buchanan Rose will have reunion at the Old Grassy Christian Church at Mize Sunday, July 19. Church at 10 a.m. Basket dinner at noon. All friends and relatives are invited.

ATTENDANCE AT LACY CREEK CH. OF CHRIST
Weekend attendance at the Lacy Creek Church of Christ: Friday night youth meeting 61, Sunday school 124, Sunday morning worship 60, Sunday evening worship 65.

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GREEAR

By MARIE HAVENS

July 13 — Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Short, Betty and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ferguson and Arlene, and Mrs. Patty Baird and daughter of Fairborn, Ohio visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Havens and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mays and family and attended Church and Communion services at South Fork Church at Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Field of Chicago spent a week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Havens, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Havens.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Littler of Lexington spent the July 4th weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Havens and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Littler.

Mrs. J. B. Mays and Brenda, Mrs. Ed Havens and Ruth visited last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Ferguson at Ezel.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Nannie Belle Ferguson were Mrs. James Dalton and daughters of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Adams and children of Fairborn, Ohio.

Timmy and Carol Jean Adams of Fairborn spent a week with their grandmother, Nannie Belle Ferguson.

Darrell Havens of Chicago is on vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Havens.

Tharasher Hutton is visiting relatives in Ohio.

Bobby Stacy and Dave Williams of Louisville, Richard Adams and Stephen Buskirk of Winchester visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Deward Adams and David, Stephen Buskirk stayed for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Castle of Argos, Ind. spent July 4th weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Castle and family and took their son, Timmy, home after he had spent two weeks with his grandparents.

Patricia Castle visited from Friday till Sunday with Debbie Conley at Salversville. Debbie is now spending a few days with Patricia Castle.

Mrs. Faye Field of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lawson of Mize, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Havens picked recently at Jenny Wiley Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stacy of Virginia visited the July 4th weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Havens and family and at Grassy with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barker and sons.

Kenny Barker, Charolette and Roger Barker of Fairborn are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Barker. Danny Barker of Fairborn spent a few days vacation last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Barker.

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ELAMTON

By MRS. ANDERSON WM.

July 14 — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowe of Pikeville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hager Hamilton recently.

Mrs. Myrtle Cantrell and Kay Ferguson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McGlothlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cox of Gary, Indiana visited last weekend with relatives here and at Jephtha and was accompanied home by Mrs. Myrtle Williams, who visited a week and returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dixon and Mrs. Alene Smith have been visiting with Mrs. Hager Hamilton and her mother, Mrs. Annie Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Pelfrey of Middletown, Ohio have been visiting Mrs. Pelfrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Mullins.

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YOCUM

By Suda Lewis

July 14 — Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Engle and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Linell Engle and children and Dove Anderson of Xenia, Ohio spent the weekend at their camp house here and visited friends and relatives.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lewis were Ray May of Cedarville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Howard of Fairborn, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Engle and Judy, Dave Anderson, and Mark Brown of Xenia, Tammy Lykins of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conley of West Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Lewis, Rebecca Lewis, and Vern Whitt of Wrigley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lewis of Ashland visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caskey, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Petit and family of Shelby, Ohio spent the weekend at Stamper Motel and visited with friends and relatives. They met at Yocum Saturday on the lawn of A. B. Lewis with Mrs. Thelma Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. James Sexton and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lewis and family. Mrs. Caskey is the former Grace Lewis and taught school here at Yocum.

Shelvie Watkins visited last week with his mother, Pheba Watkins, and brother, Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Oznie Engle visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Engle and Pete.

CANEY

By Astor Barker

July 13 — This past week has been a very pleasant one for us. On the weekend of the Fourth we were pleased to have with us our children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Danny Barker and Michael of Lockland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Evans, Jr., and daughters, Susan, Margaret, and Lesa, of Country Club Hills, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Barker and Darrin and Rhonda of West Van Lear.

Also during the week, Mrs. Lorene Biems and son, Rickey, and a boyfriend from Denver were visiting with us, and Dewey Perkins of Dayton was a brief visitor one afternoon.

On Friday afternoon, your correspondent and wife and the Leslie Evanses visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Barker at West Van Lear and had a picnic at Jenny Wiley Park. Saturday afternoon, we called on Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Evans, Sr., at Liberty Road, who were observing their 50th Wedding Anniversary, and on our way back home we stopped at Malone for a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Goebel Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Tackett and son, Douglas, of Chicago are spending a few days with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Morris.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Cora Barker were Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Barker of Lockland, Ohio.

Mrs. Cora Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Barker visited Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Orbett Oney at Bethanna.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vance and children visited a few days last week with their daughters in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barker and daughters, Tracey and Kim, visited a few days last week with her sister in Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Connie Craft of Chicago spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Craft.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kash Lykins were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lykins, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Stacy and children of Cincinnati, and Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Adams of West Liberty.

Visiting over the weekend with Mrs. Myrtle Morris were Mrs. Lorene Biems and son of Denver, Mrs. Bonnie Manning and children and Mrs. Edward Morris of Middletown, Ohio.

PINE GROVE

By Josephine Trimble

July 13 — Those visiting Mrs. Nora Watson and Doyle recently were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Watson of Middletown, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Watson of Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. June Kramer of Trenton, Ohio visited her grandmother, Mrs. Nora Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rudd and sons of Mt. Sterling spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Rolie Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Lukes Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Manning of Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson recently.

Mrs. Della McCracken spent a few days in Lexington with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Paul Lovelace.

Mrs. Phyllis Blanton and family of New Carlisle, Ohio, Mrs. Ray Garland and family, and Billy Grant Motley of Dayton, Ohio have been visiting Mrs. Elza Motley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Dennis and son of Lexington called on Josephine Trimble recently.

Mrs. June Kramer of Trenton, Ohio was Friday night guest of Josephine Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Lawson of Mariba visited Josephine Trimble Thursday.

Charles and Paul Allen of Dayton, Ohio have been visiting Josephine Trimble and other relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. Allen Justice and grandson, Timmy, have been visiting relatives in West Virginia.

Steven Rudd of Mt. Sterling visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rolie Cole, a few days last week.

Charles and Paul Allen and Josephine Trimble called on Mr. and Mrs. Murph Allen and family of Mize and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Allen of Ezel Thursday night.

Josephine Trimble, Mrs. Rolie Cole and Janet, and Charles and Paul Allen were in West Liberty Friday.

Mrs. Nora Watson, Clarence, Brenda, and Charles Watson were in West Liberty Thursday.

Mrs. Boyd Leach of Hazel Green, Diana Ratliff of Richmond, and Victor Ratliff of Cincinnati, called on Josephine Trimble recently.

Ray Rudd was taken to Dr. Spencer Thursday for treatment and then sent on to Morehead Medical Center for treatment.

Mrs. Judy Bach of Xenia, O., recently visited her mother, Mrs. Elza Motley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ratliff and family of Middletown, Ohio recently visited Mrs. Nora Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gevedon and son and Danny Watson of Virginia were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCracken and family of California are visiting his mother, Mrs. Della McCracken.

Mrs. Lydia Salvers visited relatives at Royalton Sunday.

NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST AT BERE A

BEREA, Ky. — Miss Jacqueline Elam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Elam of Index, was among 49 sophomores at Berea College who made the Dean's Honor List during the spring semester. To be eligible for the Dean's List a student must earn a 3.4 academic standing.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Dr. and Mrs. Sam Cecil of Campton announce the birth of a son July 2 at the University of Kentucky Hospital, Lexington. The child weighed 9 lb., 15 oz. at birth and has been named Darin Robert. The Cecils have another son, David, 2. Grandparents are Mr. A. B. Cecil of Hazel Green and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hadley of Minnesota. Great grandparents are Sam D. Cecil of Hazel Green and Ernest Oney of Florress.

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The wedding of Miss Sandra Rae Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bertual Wells, Cannel City, and Lt. Frederick Krebs Zepp, son of Dr. and Mrs. George D. Zepp, Indiana, Pennsylvania, was solemnized at 7:30 o'clock on Saturday, June 27, 1970 at the United Methodist Church. Officiating at the ceremony was Rev. Robert Myneer.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her chapel length gown of ivory pure silk organza and white peau d'ange lace. Her empire bodice of all lace was fashioned with a victorian neckline and cap sleeves. Floral appliques of hand-clipped lace embellished the easy skirt. A detachable Camelot train banded in peau de soie and decorated with matching lace fell gracefully to a chapel length.

Attached to a half cap of organza loops and lace was a bouffant veil of finest silk illusion. She carried a triangular cascade of white bridal roses.

Mrs. Douglas Norsworthy of Carlisle was Miss Wells' matron of honor. Miss Jill Wells, cousin of the bride, of Ashland served as maid of honor.

Mrs. Charles Estes of Troy, Ohio and Miss Patricia Sipes of Louisville served as bridesmaids. For her attendants' attire, the bride selected a floor length gown of pink ikat. A keyhole neckline accented the empire bodice of the short sleeved gown. Floral Venice lace accented the waist of the a-line skirt. On their hair they wore a matching cluster of petals and loops accented with a split face veil. Each carried a picking basket of pink sweetheart roses, miniature white carnations, blue marguerite daisies, and babybreath.

Miss Casandra Gaye Wells, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She was attired in a floor length gown in pink saki and white organza. Full pleated sleeves and a high neckline accented the empire bodice. Dainty floral embroidery accented the waist of the a-line skirt. She carried a petite picking basket of pink sweetheart roses, miniature white carnations, blue marguerite daisies, and babybreath.

Mr. Kenneth Amburgey of Middletown, Ohio served as best man. Ushers were Ronald Cundiff, Nicholasville, James Snyder, Richmond, and James Costello, Lexington. Master Kirk Duman, cousin of the groom, served as ring bearer. The bride's mother wore a street length ensemble of pink silk linen with cap sleeves. For her corsage she wore a white orchid with a pink mouth.

The groom's mother wore a street length ensemble of celery peau de soie desire with a street length coat with three quarter sleeves. Her corsage was a white orchid with a green mouth.

A program of wedding music was presented by Mrs. Russell Brown, organist. Mrs. Lanny Franklin, vocalist, sang the Lord's Prayer.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the Pleasant Valley Country Club. The bride's table was covered with a

white crocheted lace cloth made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Pearl Bach, and was centered with a five branch tiered silver candelabra with white candles, entwining pink roses, and greenery. Adorning the table were a three-tiered wedding cake and a silver punch bowl containing pink wedding punch. Assisting at the reception were Mrs. Martha Wells, Mrs. June Timmons, Mrs. Peggy Wells, and Mrs. Helen Wells. Mrs. Sharon Wright registered the guest.

For the bride's going away ensemble she wore a pink crocheted dress. For her corsage she wore a white orchid with a pink mouth.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas the couple will live at 1206 Clements Bridge Road, Apt. 207, Barrington, New Jersey.

The bride received the bachelor of science degree in elementary education from Eastern Kentucky University, where she was a member of Kappa Delta sorority.

Lt. Zepp earned both bachelor and Master's degrees in business administration at Eastern Kentucky University, where he was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. Presently, Lt. Zepp is stationed at the U. S. Army Electronic Command, Philadelphia, Pa.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Duman, Hanover, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. William Duman and family, Mark, Amy, and Kirk, Severna, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. France, Baltimore, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hartstein, Chattanooga, Tennessee; Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Pratt, Kalamazoo, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Newberry, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bach, Mrs. Diana Cundiff, Nicholasville; Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Wells, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Snyder, Bremen, Ohio; Mrs. Jasper Jones, Insko; Mrs. Deborah Patrick, Lexington; Mrs. Kay Snyder, Richmond.

Miss Wells is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lizzie Bach and the late Wesley Bach of Lee City and Mrs. Zada Wells and the late Willie Wells of Cannel City.

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